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LEECH IS NORMAL INDOOR CHAMPION

MADE 33 POINTS IN ATHLETIC CONTEST—McCLINTOCK 26 1-4.

PICK OF TRACK MEET MEN HARD FOUGHT

Large Crowd Witnesses Indoor Preliminary at State School Last Night—Many Tie for Honors.

Howard Leech of basket ball fame, showed his versatility by winning the indoor track championship of the state Normal School last night when he amassed a total of 33 points, or 6 5-6 points more than his nearest competitor.

The meet was the most hotly contested event in the history of indoor meets at the Normal School and it was not definitely known until this morning just who was the successful candidate.

The prize, a fine twelve-inch loving cup, presented by DeHart & Holmes, jewelers, will be given to Leech Monday morning at the assembly period at the Normal School. DeHart & Holmes this morning announced that they would repeat the offer again next year while several other merchants have signified intentions of also offering prizes next year.

A large crowd witnessed the meet last night many of them staying from the beginning of the meet until nearly twelve o'clock when the last event was finished.

The fifty and seventy-five yard dashes and the seventy-five yard low hurdles took place in the lower corridor of the Normal building after which the crowd went to the gymnasium where the remainder of the events were staged. The points were very evenly divided through out the meet and it was not until the last four events were run off that any one had an appreciable advantage over any of five or six other contestants who were always in at the finish of the races and events.

At the close of the meet last night it was thought that McClintock had carried off the honors but a recount of the points this morning gave Leech a slight lead over McClintock.

Leech is one of the best all around athletes attending the Normal. From his record last season at basket ball it will be seen that his basket ball work is not far behind his track performances and he is now trying for a berth on the Normal base ball team.

The officials of the meet were: Honorary referees, W. A. Blagg, president of the board of regents, and Ira Richardson, president of the Normal school; Referee, Louis DeHart; clerk of the course, Fred Lewis; judges at the finish, S. H. Kemp and Walter Hanson; timers, R. A. Kinnaird and Harvey McClary; judges of field events, Bruce Montgomery, H. P. Swinehart and S. H. Kemp; starter, H. P. Swinehart; announcer, Paul Powell; scorer, Walter Hanson.

The total number of points which each man won last night are: Leech, 33; McClintock, 26 1-4; Scarlett, 21; Cummins, 15 1-3; Vandersloot, 14 2-3; Quinn, 12 5-6; Ford, 10 11-13; Brittain, 1; Noblett, 1; Gooden and Payne. The list of the events and the winners is as follows:

50 yard dash, 6 seconds, Ford, Leech and Cummins tied.

75 yard dash, 8 3-5 seconds, Cummins and Leech tied. Quinn and McClintock tied for second.

75 yard low hurdles, 11 1-5 seconds, Scarlett and Leech tied. Quinn, Vandersloot and Cummins tied for second.

Running high jump, 4 feet, 11 inches, Vandersloot, first; Scarlett, second; Leech, third.

One mile run, 5 minutes 55 seconds, Vandersloot, McClintock, tied for first; Earl Brittain, third.

Standing broad jump, 9 feet, McClintock, first; Leech, second; Quinn, third.

Twelve pound shot put, 41 feet, 7 1/2 inches, Quinn, first; Scarlett, second; Leech, third.

Standing high jump, 4 feet, 2 inches, Leech and Scarlett tied for first; Ford third.

Pole vault, Scarlett, first; Ford, second; Noblett, third.

220 yard dash, 36 4-5 seconds, Leech first; Vandersloot, McClintock and Ford tied for second.

One-half mile run, 2 minutes, 40 2-5 seconds, McClintock, first; Vandersloot, second; Ford, third.

Rope climb, (using hands only), 18 feet up, 5 3-5 seconds, Cummins, first; Quinn, second; Ford, third.

Running broad jump, 16 feet, and 10 inches, McClintock, first; Leech, second; Vandersloot, third.

440 yard dash, 1 minute, 17 seconds, McClintock, first; Cummins, second; Scarlett, third.

Five standing long jumps, 42 feet, 8 1/2 inches, Leech, first; Quinn, second, Scarlett, third.

MILITARY BAND IS ASSURED

Necessary Quota Is Enlisted for Fourth Regiment Affiliation, Director Reports.

The Fourth Regiment band, for the Missouri National Guards, will be located here. This was assured yesterday when the necessary quota of twenty-eight men signed up for membership and affiliation with the militia. Some have not yet taken the medical examination, but it is believed all will pass.

While not all were formerly members of the Maryville Commercial band most of them were. For that reason the name of the band will hereafter be known as the Fourth Regiment band. T. B. Maulding, director of the old band, will be chief musician of the new one, while Ezra Phipps has been appointed drum major.

The military band will continue to use the armory in the Tribune building and meet regularly each Tuesday night.

Equipment for the regimental band is expected to arrive within two weeks.

MANY SPECIALS IN CONCERT.

A Vocal and 2 Instrumental Extras in Band Program for Tomorrow.

The weekly concert at the Empire theater tomorrow afternoon will be featured by one vocal and two instrumental specials, while the entire band has scheduled some unusually good selections. The program for tomorrow is: March, "Light Guards," Gibson. Overture, "Poet and Peasant," Suppe. One-step, "Chinatown, My Chinatown," Schwartz.

Cornet duet, "Jennie Polka," Mackie-Beyer—T. B. Maulding and Ed Schumacher.

"The Black Man," Sousa.

Vocal duet, "Love's Old Sweet Song," Moiley—Misses Amy Clark and Besse Scott.

Humoresque (Opus 101, No. 7), Dvorak.

Clarinet solo, "While the Rivers of Love Flow On," Ball—Harold Maulding.

One-step trot, "At the Ball," Hill.

REMOVE DIRT FROM STREETS.

City Hauls Off Many Loads—Best Condition for Months.

The removal of the dirt and mud from the paved residence streets of the city is being done today by the street department, in charge of Engineer F. J. Flynt and the new street committee, consisting of M. A. Peery, Bert Raines and Edward M. Drago.

The earth deposits on the pavement is first scraped to the middle of the street with a drag, then removed to vacant lots or dumping grounds in wagons. Several hundred loads have already been removed, Engineer Flynt reports.

The streets of the north part of the city are being cleaned first. They now are in better condition than they have been in since early last winter.

NOW BUILDING NODAWAY BRIDGE

Pillars Being Constructed for Clearmont-Elmo Span—Material on Ground.

Active work on the new steel bridge to span the Nodaway river between Clearmont and Elmo, has been begun, according to E. T. Bailey of Elmo, a member of the county court. Mr. Bailey says plenty of sand and gravel is on the ground for a continuous work, while the excavations for pillars at the east approach have been sunk to twelve feet, and for several feet at the west side.

The flooring for the structure also is on hand, it is said, and the steel is beginning to arrive. Barring spring floods on the Nodaway, little if any delay is expected by the constructors.

BOND FOR INDICTED

SIX CONCEPTION MEN RELEASED ON \$250 SECURITY.

10 DENY GAMING CHARGE

Burlington Junction man Freed Temporarily on Surety—Many Civil Suits Continued.

John Williams, arrested last winter on a charge of giving liquor to a minor, was sentenced by Judge W. C. Ellison, in circuit court this afternoon to six months in the county jail this afternoon, when Williams pleaded guilty. Williams, who is 22 years old, came to Maryville last summer from Texas. He was charged specifically with having bought some whisky for Levi Kelly, then out on parole.

Eight residents of and near Burlington Junction, who were arrested recently on charges of gaming, were arraigned in circuit court this afternoon. Each pleaded not guilty and their trial set for the September term of court. They each gave bond of \$250 for their appearance then. Those arraigned today were L. D. Hankins, two counts; Gene Hadden, French Brown, Oliver South, W. S. Ellsworth, Wilbur C. Risser and Clyde O. Fox.

Dismiss \$15,000 Allegation Suit. The appeal suit of the city of Maryville against Page Fife, for assault, was continued.

The \$15,000 damage suit of Jud B. Wren against Oscar E. Sallee of Elmo, who, he alleges, alienated the affections of his wife, was dismissed this afternoon.

The account suit of the Ford Manufacturing company against Sewell & Carter was continued.

Prosecutor W. G. Sawyers this afternoon dismissed charges of common assault against Scott Cogdill and of peace disturbance against Harry Coulter.

Circuit court was adjourned at 2 o'clock this afternoon until Monday morning.

The six young men of Conception Junction arrested yesterday, charged with disturbing the peace of an assembly, on grand jury indictments, has each given bond of \$250 for his appearance in circuit court here in the September term. All bonds were signed by Conception Junction residents. The men arrested were Jesse Curtin, Alonzo Curtin, Thomas Eagan, Emmett Gowney and Phil Gowney.

Webb Dailey and John Klepping of Conception Junction, who also were arrested yesterday on grand jury indictments, were arraigned in circuit court late yesterday afternoon. Each pleaded not guilty to the charge of gaming. They were released on furnishing \$200 bond each.

Others Still at Large.

No more arrests on grand jury indictments were reported by Sheriff Edwin Wallace this morning, and probably none will be made until this afternoon or Monday, it is said. Ten indictments are still out.

The damage suit of John Stundon and Richard B. Brown against the Chicago Great Western railroad, which was begun yesterday afternoon, still occupied the time of the court this morning. The jury trying the case is composed of Howard Bancroft, W. H. Jones, J. E. Hagey, Gus King, F. B. Dinsmore, J. H. Adkins, Manford Cowen, R. F. Westfall, James Donnelly, Clarence Wells, Joseph Lamport and Arthur Wiley.

The case will be concluded Monday. Continue Many Cases.

It is a suit over a shipment of stock from Guilford to St. Joseph, in which it is claimed the shipment was negligently handled. Other court actions yesterday afternoon follows:

F. M. Haynes against the Wabash railroad, damages, settled.

Village of Conception Junction against P. R. Gowney and others, damages, continued.

Albert Shiley against Elmer A. Johnson and others, mechanics' lien, settled.

K. Richardson against T. W. Costello, account, continued.

William J. Linebaugh against William T. Humphrey, contract, continued.

J. W. Herndon against J. H. Gatten, contract, settled.

Seth Ditto against city of Maryville, contract for \$608 wages, continued at cost of plaintiff.

G. Miller against C. H. Hummon, note, judgment of \$512.10 for plaintiff on default.

Frank L. Hart against James Anderson and William E. Hawk, note, continued.

Fred Wright against Joseph Kempf

and others, appeal from justice court, continued.

J. C. Kauffman against Thomas Cain, note, continued.

Charles Evans against the Chicago Great Western, damages, settled.

WABASH TO ADD NEW TRAINS?

Additional Service Stanberry to Omaha Each Way After May 1, Rumored.

The addition of one passenger train each way daily between Stanberry and Omaha on the Wabash is promised in an announcement made by the Omaha Commerce club, which, it is understood, is agreed to by the railroad officials. The new, westbound train would leave Stanberry earlier in the morning than No. 1, and would probably arrive here about 5 o'clock, thereby allowing more time for shopping in Omaha.

Returning, the new train will leave Omaha between 3 and 4 o'clock in the afternoon, it is said, and arrive here about 8 o'clock at night. Additional service between Stanberry and St. Louis also is promised by the Wabash officials, effective soon, probably May 1, also.

With the installation of the new trains it is said Nos 1 and 14 will be made "highball" or fast trains, with the elimination of all stops but at junction points and larger stations.

PLAN PRESS MEET

ASSOCIATION HEAD PREPARES PROGRAM FOR APRIL 23, 24.

INVITE SENATOR STONE

Many Noted Editors of Northwest Missouri Speak at Banquet to Newspaper Fraternity This Month.

Robert J. Ball of Gallatin, editor of the Gallatin Democrat and president of the Northwest Missouri Press association, which will meet in Maryville, April 23 and 24, was in the city last night conferring with the local committee, composed of President Ira Richardson of the State Normal school, J. F. Hull and James Todd, relative to the program for the association meeting. The indications are that many newspaper men from all over the Normal district will be in attendance at the meeting.

An effort will be made to secure Senator W. J. Stone as one of the speakers for the press banquet, which will be given Friday night, April 23, Congressman Charles F. Boover also will likely be here. Some of the other newspaper men from over the district that will probably be here and speak during the meeting are Charles D. Morris of the St. Joseph Gazette, Chris Rutt of the St. Joseph News-Press, Lieutenant Governor W. R. Faunter of the Carrollton Democrat, Jewell Mayes, secretary of the state board of agriculture; James E. Watkins of the Chillicothe Constitution, Asa Butler of the Albany Capital, Col. W. T. Jenkins of the Platte City Landmark, Ewing Herbert of the Stock Yards Journal of St. Joseph, and A. N. Lindsay, field agent of the State Normal school.

The program for the meeting is as follows:

Assembly and register at 1:30 o'clock Friday afternoon, followed by reception. At 3:30 o'clock the editors will be taken to the ball game to be played between the Normal school and the Missouri Wesleyan college team of Cameron.

At 6:30 o'clock a banquet will be held at the Elks club. President Richardson of the Normal school will preside as toastmaster. President Ball of the association will respond to the address of welcome on behalf of the association.

On the second day the editors will take an automobile ride over the city and will go to the Normal building, where the party will visit the school and inspect the building. At 12 o'clock luncheon will be served by the domestic science class of the Normal. At 1:30 o'clock the editors will go in a body to the track meet to witness the athletic events of the Northwest Inter-High School association.

Get Permit to Wed.

John E. Brady, 23 years old, of Clyde, was granted a license to marry Margaret Cochran, 20 years old, of Conception, in the office of the recorder of deeds today. They are to be married next Wednesday at Conception.

J. L. Hepburn of Independence township was in Maryville today on business.

18 SCHOOLS ENTER

HALF NEVER COMPETED FOR HONORS HERE LAST YEAR.

90 WOULD TAKE TRACK

Hamilton Promises Team of 16—Six Schools for Essays, 12 for Track Others Coming.

Entries from high schools of the Northwest Normal district for the inter-high school declamatory, oratorical and essay contest at the State Normal school, April 23, and for the track meet there April 24, are coming in thick and fast today, as it is the last one on which entries will be received. H. P. Swinehart, corresponding secretary of the Northwest Missouri Inter-High School association, said this afternoon that entries from eighteen schools had then been recorded.

Half of this number were not entered last year, which indicates much new material will be seen on the courts and in the contests this month. Of the entries recorded, six are in essay, twelve for track meet events, eight in the boys' declamatory contest and nine in the girls' declamatory contest. Of course this will not be all, for most of the entries will likely come in late this afternoon or tonight, it is said.

90 for Track Meet Already.

There are ninety individual high school boys in the athletic contests alone, the largest team being from the Hamilton school, which sends sixteen. Mound City is next with fourteen.

The new schools entered this year are Corning, Hamilton, Braymer, Skidmore, Tina, Hopkins, Jamesport, Easton and Gilman City. The others are Bethany, Chillicothe, Grant City, Mound City, Platte City, New Hampton, Rosendale, Savannah and Tackio.

PLUNGER SINKS FRENCH SHIP

Germans Let Crew Off New York Bound Steamer, But They Nearly Perish.

By American Press.

Letroport, France, April 10.—The French three-masted ship Chateau Briand, bound from London for New York with a cargo of chalk, was sunk by a German submarine off the Isle of Wight at 11 o'clock Thursday morning. The crew was saved. Captain Grondin and twenty-four men aboard the vessel were given ten minutes by the German commander to launch their two boats, after which the Chateau Briand was torpedoed. After drifting about all day and all night in bitter cold weather and without food, the crew sighted the French coast, landing safely.

DENY AUSTRIAN PEACE PLAN

Vatican Organ Says Holy See Was Not Asked to Bring About Cessation.

By American Press.

Rome, via London, April 10.—Official denial of the report that Austria has asked the good offices of the holy see to obtain peace proposal is printed in the Osservatore Romano, the organ of the vatican.

IS VICTIM OF TYPHOID.

Miss Eddy, Normal Student, Dies Yesterday at Mound City.

Miss Mabel Eddy, a student at the State Normal, died at 11 o'clock yesterday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Eddy, of Mound City, her death following a two weeks illness of typhoid fever.

Miss Eddy had been in Maryville since last September attending the Normal. While here she made her home with Mrs. C. T. O'Donnell, 615 North Fillmore street. She left for her home April 1, to spend the Easter vacation. Previous to going home Miss Eddy had been feeling ill for about a week. She was a cousin of Mrs. Omer Wallace of this city.

The annual Worth County Corn and Poultry Show, this year, will be held at Grant City, December 15, 16 and 17. W. D. McKee, state judge, will award the corn prizes, while a state expert of the poultry experiment station at Mountain Grove, will judge the poultry exhibits. Free offerings of eggs are being made now to youths, to create interest in poultry breeding.

"Saving the Loss"

Sermon Subject at the First M.E. Church Sunday Evening Special Music. A Cordial Welcome

MAY IMPROVE OLD CEMETERY

County court Considers Request of D. A. R.—Commissions to Justices of the Peace.

At the request of the local chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution, the county court yesterday afternoon began consideration of a proposition to improve the old county burying ground at First and Water streets. The court made a visit to the cemetery, determined the necessary changes to put it in fair condition, and this morning made a preliminary investigation relative to the cost of its improvement.

No definite action probably will be taken at this term of court, it is said. It was proposed that the trees on the site be cut down and the roots removed, the sunken places will be filled, and that a cement foundation be provided for the marble slabs at the head of the various graves.

All this improvement, the court believes, would be too expensive, but the grading of the cemetery to a level state and removal of the trees is contemplated.

LOCAL RISK COMPANY MEETS.

Directors and Secretary to Farmers' Insurance Organization Chosen Today.

The annual meeting of the Nodaway County Farmers Mutual Fire and Lightning Insurance company is being held at the court house today. The stockholders met this morning to choose three directors and a secretary, while the directors met this afternoon to organize for the ensuing year.

The officers of the company now are: President, James Hepburn; vice president, C. D. Hooker; secretary, A. Shiel; treasurer, William Woods. The other directors are E. W. Bishop, William Blackford, R. B. Gex, U. I. Willson and N. A. Northover.

The president, secretary and treasurer were re-elected by the stockholders this morning, while W. M. Blackford, James Hepburn and R. B. Gex were chosen to the board of directors for a term of three years. The board consists of nine members, three of whom go out each year.

RICKETTS RITES HELD TODAY.

Funeral Services at Farm, Northwest of the City—Burial in Oak Hill.

The funeral services for Thomas Ricketts, who died Thursday night at the Ricketts farm, northwest of the city, were held at 11 o'clock this morning at the home, conducted by the Rev. John H. Hubbard, pastor of the Buchanan Street Methodist church. The burial was made in Oak Hill cemetery.

The pall bearers were S. E. Fisher, J. E. Tebow, J. C. F. Taylor, J. B. Nunneley, Albert Neidel and M. C. Baubitts.

TO SHOW "THE SPOILERS" HERE.

Empire Will Give Photoplay of Rex Beach's Novel, April 15.

Rex Beach's Alaskan romance "The Spoilers" which has been filmed into a photo-play consisting of three acts and nine reels, will be shown at the Empire April 15. It is the work of William N. Selig, one of the men who pioneered the motion picture industry. "The Spoilers" tells not only a gripping, interesting, pure love story but is filled with action and incidents from start to finish.

SUES FOR GUILFORD DEATH.

Great Western, Defendant in \$10,000 Suit for Roy Post's Demise.

The Chicago, Great Western Railroad Company is made a defendant in a suit for \$10,000 damages filed by Mrs. Mary A. Williams in St. Joseph. Mrs. Williams is administratrix of the estate of Roy Post, formerly a Great Western brakeman.

She alleges that Post was instantly killed when struck by a railroad crane at Guilford October 16, 1914.

Mrs. Berney Harris will return Monday from a visit of several weeks in St. Louis with her mother, Mrs. B. Scharff.

PICK LOCAL HIGH SCHOOL RACERS

MARYVILLE'S REPRESENTATIVES TO ANNUAL MEET CHOSEN.

PLAN MANY ENTRIES FOR TRACK, ORATIONS

Athletes Try-Out for Honors on "Bad" Track—Boy and Girl Declamations Are Lauded.

The preliminary athletic contest was held yesterday afternoon and a declamatory contest last night by the Maryville high school to choose contestants to represent the local high school in the northwest Missouri inter-high school contest at the Normal, April 23 and 24. The track meet held yesterday was participated in by about ten boys. Verne Pickens, one of the best athletes in the high school, did not compete on account of injuries received last year.

Some of the events were held at the high school grounds and in the gymnasium while the others were staged at the fair grounds on East First street. Good records were not possible on account of the condition of the track.

Error in Judging Declamations.

In the declamatory contest in the auditorium of the Washington school building last night some extremely able orations were delivered and the judging was close. A large crowd attended.

The result of the declamatory contest was as follows: Boys—Don Roberts, first; Forrest Gilliam, second; Fred Gray, third; Irwin Harris, fourth; Martin Lewis, Jr., fifth. Girls—Miss Georgia Evans, first; Virginia Lawson, second; Brownie Helpey, third; Laura Curfman, fourth; Vera Hughes, fifth.

The judges were Prof. C. A. Hawkins, Prof. F. P. Wagg and Prof. A. J. Cauffield, Normal tutors.

By a change in the order in which the boys spoke last night, one of the judges graded erroneously, causing Forrest Gilliam to be given first honors and Don Roberts second, and Brownie Helpey, second instead of Miss Lawson. A readjustment of the names on the judge's score card to conform to the order in which they spoke was made this morning.

Orations Were Good.

Many of those in the audience last night were surprised at the judges' decision relative to first and second honors, which showed very well that the judges and the public really judged about the same, except that one had the names misplaced.

Each of the declamations were exceptionally good, the judges declared, as shown by the close grading. They were graded on general excellence on a basis of 100 per cent. This was divided into pronunciation, articulation, expression, interpretation and gestures.

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THE WEATHER

Generally fair tonight and Sunday.

Will Receive Bids

The Standard Poland-China Record association, Maryville, Missouri, will receive sealed bids for the construction of a one-story brick building, to be built according to plans and specifications submitted by Architect James Schack.

We reserve full right to reject any and all bids. Sealed bids must be in the hands of the secretary on or before April 20, 1915. Address or call on Ray Davis, secretary, Maryville, Missouri, for plans.

John Bunny, IN "THE BRONCHO BILLY"

IN "A Friend In Need;" Master and Man, Drama; Hicksville, Comedy; Rose and Thorns, all star Vitagraph, Two Act Feature TONIGHT

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COMING FERN THEATRE

MARY PICKFORD in "Mistress Nell"

Tuesday, Matinee 4 p. m.

"Buckshot John" is the big western comedy for Thursday. Low Fields in "Old Dutch," April 23. Jesse Willard, champion fighter, in "The Heart Punch," May 10.

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They are all at it—Columbia, Moberly, Kansas City and all the live towns are making vigorous clean-up campaign. Let's set the pace in Maryville. Let everybody join in and make it unanimous.

A neighboring editor, noticing that Dr. Wiley values good teeth at \$1,000 each, hastens to announce that he has two perfectly good ones that he would like to trade in on a motor car.

Chicago elected a Republican mayor by a large majority, because Carter Harrison's followers would not support the Democratic nominee. They claimed he was nominated by machine methods, and swatted the machine.

Kansas can now have a new picture in its hall of fame. To a history ornamented by such celebrities as John Brown, John P. St. John, Susan B. Anthony, Mary Ellen Lease, Carrie Nation, Senator Peffer, Jerry Simpson, Ed Howe, William Allen White, Walt Mason, Pastor Sheldon, Senator Bristow, and Vic Murdock, may now be added a chapter on "Our Jess" Willard, champion of the world.

There is a most excellent opening in Maryville for some enterprising capitalist to build an up-to-date hotel. Maryville is a good hotel town and the facilities we now have are unable to properly care for all the demands on their capacity. This fact alone causes many traveling men, who would prefer to spend more time in Maryville to go elsewhere. The man or men who will build a modern hotel building will find a ready renter and will render a service to the city and the public besides.

BUTTERMILK GOOD STOCK FOOD.

Is Excellent as a Supplement to Balance Corn, Experts Report.

The farmers who have an abundance of buttermilk for their swine do not need to feed tankage or other purchased supplements to balance the corn ration, according to the animal husbandry department of Iowa state college. It says:

"Of all the supplements to corn, the milk supplements, skimmed milk and buttermilk are most efficient. There is only one that is better than these and that is whole milk; but of course you cannot afford to feed butter fat to pigs when it will bring 40 cents on the market."

Concerning the relative value of buttermilk and tankage, the experts at Ames figure that when tankage can be bought for \$2.50 a hundred, buttermilk is worth approximately 25 cents a hundred pounds.

Nayle's Liver Salts cures stomach ills. Koch Pharmacy.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh That Contain Mercury

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surface. Such articles should never be used except on prescription from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by Druggists. Price, 75c. per bottle. This Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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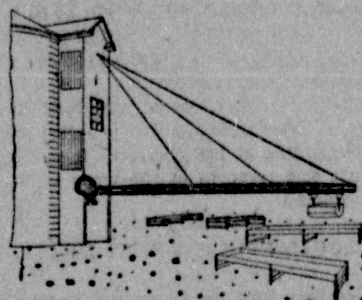
FOR REMOVING SILAGE IS CRUSHED BENEATH TRAIN

Description of Devices in Use for That Purpose.

Overhead Feed Carrier Is Advisable Where Silo Is Adjacent to Feed Yard—Much Depends on Number of Stock to Be Fed.

(By L. W. CHASE.)
From two to three inches of silage should be removed from the entire surface of the silo daily during the summer months and at least half of this amount in the winter. In the above-ground silos the silage may be dug loose with a silage fork and allowed to fall down through the chute to the ground, where it may be loaded into the cart or carriers and fed where desired; or it may be dropped directly into a cart, carrier, or wagon, and taken to the stock.

If the silo is adjacent to the barn and there is a smooth way from silo to feed manger, a simple silage cart is the most convenient device for



Illustrating How a Swing Track May Be Attached to a Strong Silo and the Silage Distributed to Several Feed Bunks.

taking the silage to the stock. The cart can be left beneath the silo chute and filled from above without reshoveling the silage. Loose silage weighs about 18.5 pounds per cubic foot, and this should be given consideration when building a cart for a definite capacity.

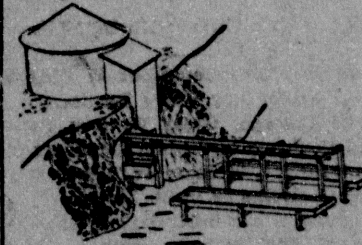
More often than otherwise the silo stands either in or adjacent to the feed yard, in which case there is very seldom a smooth way from silo to bunks. An overhead feed carrier is then generally advisable. This depends upon the number of stock to be fed. Such a carrier may easily be arranged. If the yards are small a swing track may be attached to the silo and the silage distributed to several feed bunks.

When several carloads of stock are being fed silage, the most convenient scheme is to throw the feed into a wagon and distribute it to the feed bunks with a team.

Some sort of hoisting device should be used in pit and semipit silos. Where the pit is more than ten feet deep, hand hoists and power hoists are being used for this purpose. The simplest hoist is that of the bucket raised hand over hand, but this requires one person in the pit and another above ground. A better scheme and one which is practical where the silo is located in the barn between the mangers, is to obtain several baskets and equip them with stiff balls, then use them as follows: Fill the baskets and place them in the silo convenient for raising, climb out of the silo, and by means of a hook on a rope, hook a basket of silage to it and hoist it out. After the basket is emptied, drop it back into the silo, release the hook, and hook another basket.

A homemade hoisting device for semipit silos and which can be adapted to pit silos as well, consists of a three-inch pipe carrying a wooden wheel and two drums. An old milk can is used with scrap iron is used as a counterweight. It should be slightly lighter than the weight of the cart and the silage.

A horse-power hoisting device is easily used for silos entirely below ground. These silos have an opening



An Adaptation of a Feeding Arrangement Which Can Be Used as Well for Above-Ground Silo as for Bank Silos.

in the roof through which silage is hoisted. The carrier is a box about four feet long by two feet wide, having a hinged bottom. The box is hoisted and pulled over to the dump chute by means of one horse. A trip rope allows the operator to dump the silage through the chute and return the carrier. An ordinary hayfork cable and carrier are used. This same arrangement may be used for feeding into several bunks.

Called by Sister's Illness.

Mrs. W. A. Rickenbrode left Saturday morning for Paola, Kan., called there by the serious illness of her sister, Mrs. J. O. Rankin.

FOR RENT—11-acre tract, close in, well improved. Inquire Gilliam-Jackson Trust Co. or Mrs. Demott, 110 North Walnut.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

IS CRUSHED BENEATH TRAIN

Body of Harold Stoner, Killed at Sedalia, Is Taken to Hopkins.

The body of Harold Stoner, a grandson of Mrs. Estelle Douglas of Hopkins, who died April 7, at Sedalia, Mo., from injuries received when he fell under a moving freight train and both legs were crushed, was taken to Hopkins at noon today and buried in the Hopkins cemetery.

The young man was 18 years old. He is the son of J. O. Stoner, a machinist in the employ of the Wabash at Moberly, Mo. He has been visiting in southern Missouri several weeks and was returning home when the accident occurred. He attempted to board the moving train when he fell under the wheels. Both legs were crushed. He was taken to the hospital where he died shortly afterwards.

The young man's mother, who died about five years ago, was a daughter of Mrs. Douglas. He is survived by his father and two brothers.

TO CONDUCT COUNTY QUIZZES

Places and Supervisors of Annual Eighth Grade Examinations, April 16, 17, Chosen.

The places and conductors of the annual examination of eighth grade pupils of public schools of Nodaway county, to be held next Friday and Saturday, April 16 and 17, were announced today by County School Superintendent Bert Cooper. The list of questions to be answered by those taking the examinations also are now being prepared. The places and conductors of the examination are:

Hughes—Graham school; conductors, J. N. Geyer, R. L. Noblett, Nellie Talbott, Morgan school house; conductors, Hazel Noblett, Rose Shinabargar, May G. Evans.

Monroe—Skidmore high school; conductors, T. W. Cooper, Clara Clymens, Ruby Key.

Lincoln—Elmo high school; conductors, W. A. Wright, Naomi Horn, Ruth E. Wilson.

Nodaway—Burlington Junction high school; conductors, D. V. Culp, Bessie Brown, Stella Hurst.

Atchison—Clearmont high school; conductors, Geo. W. Somerville, Ethel Bush, Effie A. Henderson.

Hopkins—Hopkins high school; conductors, J. L. Niermann, Eugene Bird, Beulah Russell.

Union—Pickering high school; conductors, Myra Hope, Rachel Watson, W. H. Burr.

Polk—Maryville Business college; conductors, Ruby Ruddell, Mary Watson, Mary Halasey. Pupils in Polk township may attend examination in other townships if they choose.

White Cloud—Davis school house; conductors, Margaret Hopper, Zella Barton, Carrie Coler.

Grant—Barnard high school; conductors, D. D. Hooper, L. L. Mendenhall, Bertha Campbell.

Washington—Gulfport school house; conductors, S. E. Richards, Roxie Wilson, Blanch Rime.

Jefferson—Conception Junction; conductors, Sr. M. Maura, D. M. Fegans, Margaret McCann.

Jackson—Ravenwood high school; conductors, L. W. Watson, Myriel Gates, Louise McCann.

Independence—Gaynor school house; conductors, Bessie Nicholson, Elva Heflin, Hazel Hook.

Green—Quitman high school; conductors, Edith Collins, Elsie Smith, Mrs. Ella Hale.

All teachers of each township are appointed as assistants to help the conductors in giving the examinations and in arranging the commencement program. If conductors are not present the teachers may select them.

Gets Wealthy Bride.

The following is taken from the Kansas City Star, and will be of interest to the friends of the groom, who is a former Maryville man:

Miss Mary Taylor Keith, daughter of Mrs. Richard H. Keith, and one of the heirs of the two million dollar fortune of the former president of the Central Coal and Coke company, who died in 1905, was married yesterday in New Orleans to Jesse Franklin Anderson, a young Kansas City attorney, who is connected with the city counselor's office. The bride is 26 years old and her husband is 29. They left immediately after the ceremony in the Jesuits Church for Pass Christian, where the honeymoon will be spent. The wedding ceremony was simple. Only a few friends were present, and the bride wore a simple traveling suit. Since the division of the Keith estate, Mrs. Anderson has a fortune of \$200,000 in her own right.

When Croup Comes Treat Externally

The old method of doing croup with steam and mustard. Try the external treatment. Vick's "Vapo-Rub" Salve. Just rub a little over the throat and chest. The vapors, released by the body heat, loosen the choking phlegm and ease the difficult breathing. A bedtime application insures sound sleep. 25c, 50c, or \$1.00.

WICKS' VAPOR-SALVE

STUDENT PLAY WELL ATTENDED.

Good Sum Cleared at Entertainment Given by Pickering Literary Society.

A good crowd attended the annual play given last night by the literary society of the Pickering high school. A sum of about \$17 was cleared.

The play staged was "Mr. Bob," and the character parts were taken by Misses Gladys Null, Vera McDowell, Mary Crowson and Flossie Neal, and Alva Lett, Forrest Hinton and Orlo Lincoln.

During the act interlude, musical numbers were given by Mrs. Roy Wolfer, Mrs. Howard Null, Miss Hazel Burks, Miss Christel Everhart, Miss Josie Wilson and Miss Hazel Burks.

ROSS FUNERAL HELD AT HOPKINS

Mrs. Ross, 65, Succumbs to Illness of Several Months.

The funeral services for Mrs. Henry Ross of Hopkins, who died Tuesday, were held Thursday afternoon at the family home, conducted by the Rev. D. W. Griffith, pastor of the Baptist church. The body was buried in the Hopkins cemetery.

Mrs. Ross was 65 years old. She was born in Illinois and came to Nodaway county when a young woman. She is survived by her husband and three children. The children are Silas Ross of Howard, Col.; William Ross of Red Lodge, Mont., and Grace Ross, living at home.

Mrs. Ross suffered a paralytic stroke several months ago and failed to regain her health from that time.

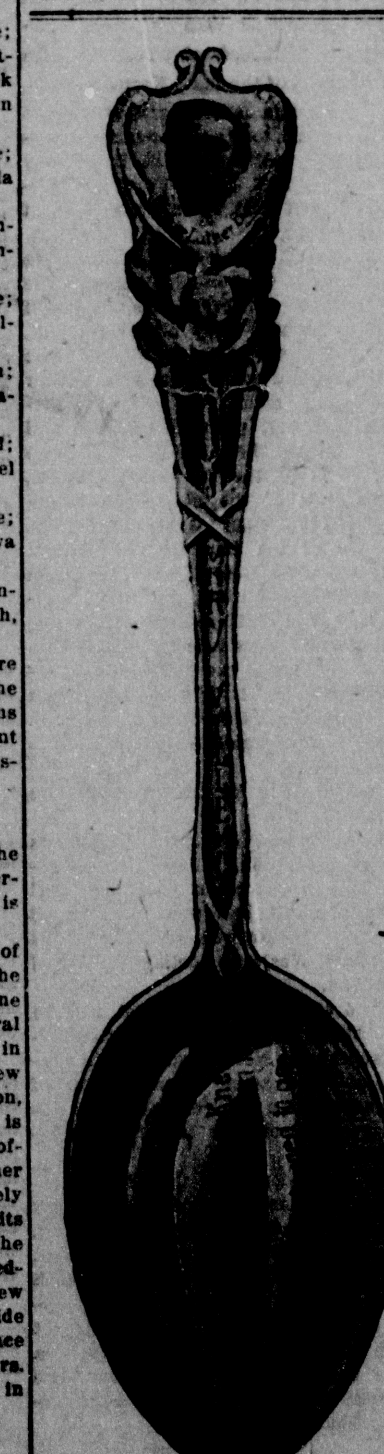
"Gray" Veteran Is Pensioned.

Elijah Kilgore of Conception Junction was questioned by the county court yesterday relative to his qualifications for obtaining state pension as a confederate war veteran. Roy Fitzsimmons, James Donnelly and R. L. Barber of Conception Junction each testified before the court as to Kilgore's identity, while Calvin Reavis testified that he is the same man as is mentioned in the war records.

Nayle's Liver Salts. Koch Pharmacy.

Returns to Kansas City.

Mrs. Gus Conant and her daughter, Miss Edna Walters, of Kansas City, who were called to Maryville by the death of Mrs. Conant's mother, Mrs. L. F. VanBriggle, left yesterday for their home. They were accompanied by Mr. Van Briggie, who will spend the summer with Mrs. Conant.



CHEATER SOUVENIR SPOONS.

George Luther Burr, of considerable fame as an exponent of the virtues of Nodaway county, and particularly of Maryville, styled "Mary Villamo," in one of his songs, has now come forth with a souvenir spoon for Maryville, his pet and pride. Mr. Burr just recently returned from Fort Worth, Texas, where he has been the last year.

Sunday Services at Local Churches

First Methodist.

Gilbert S. Cox, pastor.
Sunday school at the usual hour. At 10:45 o'clock Mrs. W. M. Dudley of Indianola, Ia., a national officer of the Women's Foreign Missionary society, will speak. At the evening service at 8 o'clock the pastor will preach. The sermon subject will be "Saving the Loss."

Buchanan Street Methodist.

John H. Hubbard, pastor.
Our usual services tomorrow. We want every one at Sunday school on time.

Preaching services at 10:45 o'clock. Subject, "Home Missions." The usual evening service at 8 o'clock.

Epworth League service at 7 o'clock. All are cordially invited to attend all these services.

First Baptist.

Lewis M. Hale, pastor.
Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. The Sunday school needs you. Be on time. Morning worship at 11 a. m. Special music. Sermon by Prof. Harry A. Miller.

B. Y. P. U. at 7 p. m.
Evening worship at 8 p. m., preceded by thirty minutes prayer service in the Organized Bible class room.

Evangelistic praise service, under the direction of men of the church. Come and bring your friends with you.

First Presbyterian.

Samuel D. Harkness, pastor.
The sermons for the day will be given by the Rev. E. E. Stringfellow, Ph. D., at both morning and evening hours. Musical program under the direction of Prof. H. B. Schuler, organist. Morning: Prelude, "Hymn Paraphrase," Ashmali; anthem, "The Path of the Just," Heaton; offertory, "Andante Grazioso," Lee; postlude, "Processional March," Hosmer. Evening: program. Prelude, "Canonetta," Spencer; anthem, "Seek Ye the Lord," Roberts; offertory, "Impromptu," Chopin; postlude, "Rondo," Westerhout.

Sunday school at 9:45 o'clock a. m. Young People's club meeting at 7 o'clock. At this meeting a new series of topics under the general caption "Modern Apostles" will be begun. Miss Jessie Pacher will have the first topic tomorrow night, which will be "Billy Sunday, Evangelist."

At the head of this harem they placed the immaculate stallion, Royal Chester 926, by Chester Dare 10, and the imperial sire, Rex Bleea 1416, by Rex McDonald 833. The whole of this breeding stud, mares and stallions belonged to the Denmark family, and are of the very essence of the blood.

The Dysarts are very intelligent thinkers, and being convinced that in order to secure the fruits of the old adage, "like begets like," continued line breeding must be pursued, they have adhered with rigid closeness to that system.

Results have shown that they were masters of the breeding art, as applied to saddle horses, and for years they have been exhibiting horses, mares, colts and fillies of their own production at the principal fairs of the northwest with the most enviable success.

Right on and on their career has been progressive and encouraging. In the highest degree, and this year they have risen to that height of self-reliance, to that unwavering faith in the fruit of their work which prompts the highest level in competition.

They have not hesitated to enter the shining sunbeam Royal Dysart 4446, in the \$6,000 stake to be awarded to the winner at the Great Panama-Pacific Exposition at San Francisco. This most brilliant young horse is by Rex Bleea 1416, out of Fancy C 2408, by Royal Chester 926. He wears a chest-

nut livery, marked with a snip and four white feet.

He measures about 15½ hands, weighs about 1,100 pounds, has all the gaits of the pentachord to perfection, is a model of faultless symmetry, and surpasses Pegasus in beauty, and in grace of action. The man that beats him at the California metropolis will go home, feeling that he has achieved a victory worthy of putting on record to be remembered to the latest day of his life.

And the beauty of it is, that Royal Dysart 4446, is purely a product of the Dysart farm. And if he could talk he might say: "I'm a Missourian, you'll have to show me," and at San Francisco he will be shown sure enough, and shown against a whole galaxy of Kentuckians, Californians, and other Missourians. But he will be exhibited in the most perfect confidence that he will win the big purse.

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Returns to Albany.
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It's in the people's hearts you know
To like the Munsing Underwear so,
And when another Dictionary's writ
You'll find that Munsing's will be it.

MUNSING UNDERWEAR

Perfect Fitting Union Suits for Men

Berney Harris Sells Munsing Union Suits
The glove fitting easy wearing kind.

Seven million Munsing Union suits are sold annually throughout the United States.

That's some recommendation—but
Berney Harris recommends them because
—they wear longest—launder best.
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Carried in all styles—Athletic, half, threequarter or full length.

Priced from \$1 to \$3.50

BERNEY HARRIS

BARNARD HORSES ARE LAUDED

Dysart Brothers' Thoroughbreds Are Praised in Kentucky Journal—To Show at the Fair.

The thoroughbred horses of Dysart Brothers, Barnard, come in for considerable praise by Mark Fields of Granger, Mo., in a recent issue of the Farmers' Home Journal of Louisville, Ky. The picture of Royal Dysart, one of Dysart's best, also is shown. The article in part follows:

In the northwestern corner of Missouri, in the environs of the village of Barnard, and in the richest part of one of the richest counties of the State (Nodaway) lies a saddle horse farm of which any part of the world might well be proud. We refer to the great establishment of the Dysart Bros., which is now some twenty-five years old, and which is known to fame the world over as a garden of delights, and a paradise for horses.

The Dysarts are among the best educated, and most successful saddle horse breeders on the continent. Pepper like they spent years in selecting a harem of brood mares that were never excelled.

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To-Day

Is the 10th day of the month and the last day of Discount on your Electric Light Bills. Better hurry.

Maryville Electric Light & Power Co.

Empire Theatre Building

Helding 21

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

BRIGHT OUTLOOK FOR EVERYBODY

The N. K. Fairbank Company Shows Faith in Newspaper Advertising.

The Gold Dust Twins, those nimble sprites that have won their way into so many households and into the hearts of so many housewives, in addition to their usual occupation of making this a cleaner and brighter world, have started with fine spirit and commendable enthusiasm upon the work of spreading confidence in the stability of American institutions.

Not satisfied with brightening material things, the Twins propose to make the future bright, and they are going about it in a very direct and practical way.

Big Advertising Campaign.

This new enterprise on the part of the celebrated Twins takes the form of an extensive newspaper advertising campaign by the N. K. Fairbank company of Chicago. Gold Dust is manufactured by this company, which has just completed arrangements for extensive advertising in the newspapers in practically every city and town in this country.

The Gold Dust Twins are going to fill engagements, carrying on one of the greatest educational campaigns ever undertaken in newspaper advertising.

In a larger and broader sense, it may be regarded as this big manufacturing company's faith in American institutions. No better evidence of the value of newspaper advertising has ever been presented than is to be found in this extraordinary campaign in the interest of Gold Dust washing powder.

It was in newspapers that the first advertising of Gold Dust was done. For years the famous Twins have been brightening newspaper pages with their good humor and their interesting exploits. The results of that advertising are responsible for the record-breaking campaign which is beginning.

Encouraging Enterprise.

It is in no sense extravagant to say that the fine spirit of the company which launches this great enterprise should serve as encouragement to people who have been disposed to be pessimistic. It should bring to the timid and the doubtful a realization of the fact that this is a time for aggressive effort, rather than for inactivity or ultra conservatism.

Loan Association Appoints.

A meeting of the Maryville Home-stead and Loan association was held last night to appoint the standing committees for the year. They were on finance, auditing, real estate and building. Three members were named for each committee.

CHICHESTER'S PILLS
THE FAMOUS BRAND
Largest and most popular
of all the pills in the world.
SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE

PERFECT FITTING GLASSES
Are assured you if you come to Crane's. Our expert Optician will test your eyes free and fit them with proper glasses.
H. T. CRANE
JEWELER AND OPTICIAN

For Right House Painting—Dutch Boy White Lead, mixed for the job, and a good painter.
Curtman Lumber Co.
will give you trustworthy advice about materials and work. We have a full stock of Dutch Boy White Lead. Don't be like the man who had paint mixed and put on going to the dealer. He lost in satisfaction and in pleasure, and at the end of a two-year wait had to spend twice as much for repairs. Paint now with the painting is good. Call or telephone.

JOFFRE AND HINDENBURG

Opposing Generals in Western Theater, Where Fighting Is Fiercest.



Photos by American Press Association.

GENERAL VILLA FLEES WITH ALL HIS ARMY

Northern Chief Reported Retreating After Defeat by Obregon.

Douglas, Ariz., April 10.—Have satisfaction to advise that Dorothea Arango, alias Francisco Villa, a shameful defeat inflicted upon him by our troops here, is fleeing toward Alamo with eighteen military trains, five of them loaded with wounded. More than 2,000 Villa dead were burned.

This was a telegram, dated Celaya, received by General Elias Calles, the Sonora Carranza leader, from General Alvarado Obregon.

BRADSTREET'S TRADE REVIEW

Sentiment Bolstered by Smart Uplift in Stock Prices.
New York, April 10.—Bradstreet's says:

The week's reports, trade and industrial, are the best noted for some time, being in some respects the most favorable received since the spring of 1914. Sentiment is bolstered by the smart uplift in stock market prices; better weather has superinduced improvement in general lines of retail trade; foreign orders for machinery, tools, automobiles and numerous other manufactures make for capacity work in the enterprises thus benefited; operations on domestic account are steadily improving; idle workmen are less numerous; money is easy; weekly bank clearings are more encouraging; collections are a shade better in some centers and winter wheat crop conditions are good—as good, all things considered, as a year ago at this date.

Agricultural as distinguished from the industrial south still is depressed as regards current trade, but other sections of the country manifest signs of improvement, though it must be conceded that betterment in the east is slow. In the soft coal mining regions there is evidence of improvement, but the operations are slow, and in the lumber industry depression continues. Building has begun to improve.

The arrival of the growing weather has put a more favorable face upon crop reports. Winter wheat has been benefited west of the Mississippi by warmer weather, but needs moisture east of the river. The entire crop is late in starting.

Dr. S. D. Treble Arrested.
Spokane, Wash., April 10.—Dr. S. D. Treble was arrested here by post-office inspectors and is being held in default of \$15,000 bonds to answer a charge of fraud for misuse of the mails, preferred at Philadelphia.

SAYS U. S. SURRENDERS SEAS TO ENGLAND

Washington, April 10.—Germany has sent to the United States government a note complaining that the latter has accomplished nothing in its diplomatic correspondence with the allies to obtain for American exporters the right to ship foodstuffs to the civilian population of a belligerent country. The communication intimates also that the United States has virtually acquiesced in the British order in council, prohibiting commerce with Germany.

SOCIETY AND CLUBLAND

KATE SCHENCK
Phones—Office 412 Home 608

Social Monday Night.

The young women of St. Mary's Catholic church will give a social in the basement of the church Monday night. Games will furnish the diversion of the evening, and refreshments will be served.

Mrs. Roseberry Hostess.

Mrs. G. B. Roseberry, president of the Mission Circle of the First Christian church, entertained the Circle members with a tea yesterday afternoon at her home, on East Seventh street. One of the special features of the meeting was the opening of the mite boxes and the collecting of the annual Easter offering of the Circle, which preceded the social hour and tea.

Pink and White Luncheon.

Miss Beulah Brunner and Miss Mildred Miller were the hostesses of a daintily appointed luncheon given at noon today at the home of Mrs. Walter Hanson, complimentary to their guests, Miss Margaret James and Miss Mayme Howard of Warrensburg, Mo. The table flowers were pink and white sweet peas, and similar colors were used in place cards and ices and cakes. Covers were laid for fourteen.

Class Luncheon.

Mrs. Gay Leeper entertained the members of her class in the First Baptist Sunday school with a luncheon at Reuillard's at 4:30 o'clock this afternoon. The luncheon table was centered with a cluster of yellow daffodils, and the same flowers were used for place markers. The party was chaperoned by Miss Dorothy Pierce, and included Doris Cornett, Anna Stutesman, Lillie Mayer, Lucy Kinzel, Mabel Fraser, Bessie Wagner, Elizabeth Nash and Marie Cloud.

To Meet Warrensburg Guests.

An informal tea was given yesterday afternoon from 4 till 6 o'clock by Miss Mildred Miller and Miss Beulah Brunner, in their apartments at Perrin hall, when a number of their friends were invited to meet their house guests, Miss Margaret James and Miss Mayme Howard of Warrensburg. About twenty-five were entertained. Miss James is head of the department of art and Miss Harwood of the department of music of the Warrensburg state normal. They will return to their homes tomorrow morning.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—100. Market slow. Estimate tomorrow, 15,000.
Hogs—8,000. Market 5c higher; top, \$7.25. Estimate tomorrow, 27,000.
Sheep—200.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—100. Market slow.
Hogs—1,000. Market 5c higher; top, \$7.00.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—None. Market slow.
Hogs—2,200. Market 5c higher; top, \$7.00.
Sheep—None.

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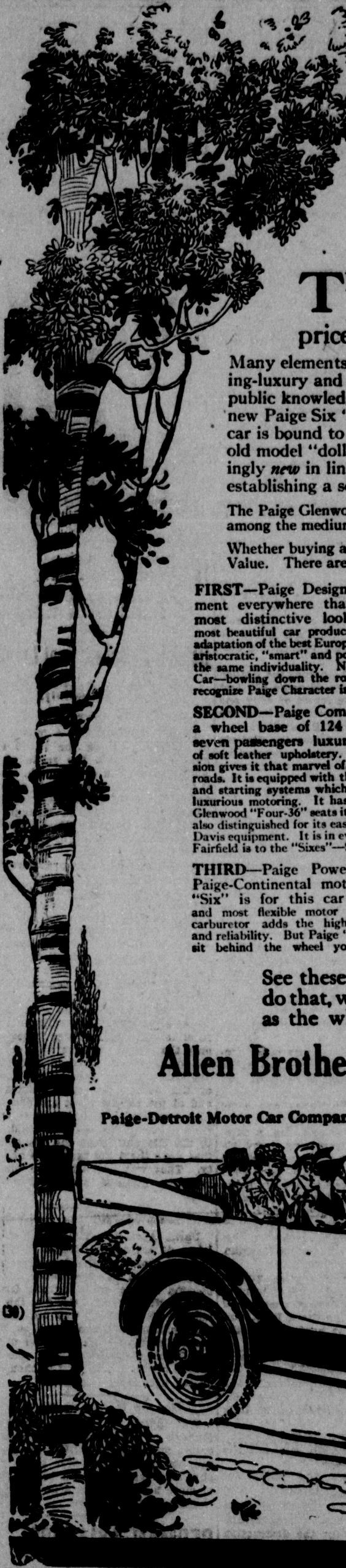
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GENERAL HUERTA.

Breaks Into Print Again
By Leaving Spain to Start
Another Mexican Revolt.



Photo by American Press Association.



PAIGE

"The Standard of Value and Quality"

Why the Paige is Supreme

THE Paige Fairfield "Six-46" has everywhere proven the most popular six-cylinder motor car—of any price—on the market this season.

Many elements enter into that! The beauty, power, comfort, unequalled quality, riding-luxury and supreme value are obvious reasons. There is another reason, that is the public knowledge that the Paige "Six-46" means real economy. If you have seen the new Paige Six "46", you can readily understand why the item of Depreciation on this car is bound to be a small one. This car is one year ahead of the field. It is not an old model "dolled" up with a fictitious 1915 label and a fictitious price. It is refreshingly new in lines, design and equipment. It belongs to no "school" for it is rapidly establishing a school of its own—the School of 1916.

The Paige Glenwood "Four-36" has this season easily retained its supremacy—for value and service—among the medium-priced four-cylinder cars.

Whether buying a "Six" or a "Four", the Paige Purchaser is satisfied that he is buying the Supreme Value. There are five Cardinal Reasons for Paige Supremacy. They are:

FIRST—Paige Design. It is the popular comment everywhere that the Paige "Six" is the most distinctive looking car as well as the most beautiful car produced this year. Its lines are an adaptation of the best European designs. It looks distinguished, aristocratic, "smart" and powerful. The Paige Glenwood has the same individuality. No matter where you see a Paige Car—bowling down the road or parked on the curb—you recognize Paige Character instantly.

SECOND—Paige Comfort. The Paige "Six" has a wheel base of 124 inches. It accommodates seven passengers luxuriously in its ample seats of soft leather upholstery. Its cantilever spring suspension gives it that marvellous, easy riding over all kinds of roads. It is equipped with the Gray & Davis electric lighting and starting systems which means the fullest realization of luxurious motoring. It has the modish one-man top. The Glenwood "Four-36" seats its five passengers in comfort. It is also distinguished for its easy riding. It also has the Gray & Davis equipment. It is in every way to the "Fours" what the Fairfield is to the "Sixes"—Supreme.

THIRD—Paige Power. We believe that the Paige-Continental motor (3½x5¼) of the Paige "Six" is for this car the most ideally powerful and most flexible motor in the world. The Rayfield carburetor adds the highest factor of ease of control and reliability. But Paige "Six" or Paige "Four", when you sit behind the wheel you sense the tremendous power

that flattens out hills and sweeps you buoyantly over any road conditions. Paige Cars are equipped, too, with the Bosch magneto—the world's standard ignition—the multiple disc cork-insert clutch.

FOURTH—Paige Economy. (Whether it be a Paige "Six" or Paige "Four", you KNOW that the soundness of Paige Design and the Excellence of Paige Materials and Paige Workmanship mean Economy to YOU. That is Economy in Operation—which is gasoline and oil—and Economy in Maintenance—which means small repair bills and continuous, year-round Paige Service. A Paige Car is always and everywhere an asset.

FIFTH—Paige Value. Our answer to that is a question—two questions: Do you know of any six-cylinder, seven-passenger car offering any such high-grade features as detailed above that you can buy for a price within \$200, yes, or \$300, of the price of the Paige "Six"?

That price is \$1395

Again, do you know of any four-cylinder, five-passenger car offering such high-grade features as detailed above that you can buy for a price within \$200, yes, or \$300, of the price of the Paige "Four"?

That price is \$1075

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EARLY HATCHING PAYS.

State Expert Advises Poultry Breeders to Try for Early "Frys."

"The poultry keeper who expects to get eggs next winter must have his chickens hatch early this spring," says H. L. Kempster of the Missouri Agricultural Experiment station. "It requires from five to seven months for a three to five pound hen to mature so that she will lay. The hen of the heavier breeds such as Rocks, Reds, Wyandottes, etc., weighing from five to eight pounds each require from one to three months longer.

"This is based upon the assumption that the chicks are kept growing well during the summer months. The Missouri farmer loses large profits from winter eggs because he does not give his young stock sufficient time to mature before winter sets in. This prevents his flock being productive during the winter months.

"Unless a pullet is laying in December it is practically impossible for her to lay much until February according to experiments at the Missouri Agricultural Experiment Station. This shows the necessity of Hatching Early. If the hatch is completed by May 15

there remains but seven months in which to mature the pullets.

"If winter eggs are expected, the hatch should be completed before that time. Egg records show that early laying pullets—November and December—are the ones that make the high egg yields and also lay eggs at the time of the year when the price is the highest.

"Early hatching is important, not only from the standpoint of next year's winter egg yield but also because the early hatched chick comes from corn husks, and the chicks get a start before the extreme hot weather arrives. For these two reasons the poultry keeper should exert every energy to get off the hatch as soon as possible."

WOULD CHANGE TOWNSHIP ROAD.

Nineteen Ask County to Straighten a Green-Polk Highway.

A petition signed by nineteen persons owning property within three miles of the highway was presented to the county court today, asking that the public road extending along the Green-Polk township line for a distance of three miles, be straightened.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

MISSOURI EXHIBITS GOOD.

Agriculture, Mining, Horticulture and Manufacture Exploited at San Francisco.

All Missouri exhibitions at the Panama-Pacific Exposition are opened up and in operation with the exception of the live stock exhibit, which will not be installed until some time next fall.

The Missouri building is receiving many compliments and has a very homelike appearance. There are ten bedrooms, private dining room and kitchen, therefore real Missouri home life is enjoyed.

The agriculture occupies the center of the Agricultural Palace. At the entrance of the exhibit are large corn towers and just to the left of this is a large American eagle made from corn husks, oats and haffir corn; just beneath the eagle is a picture of Governor Major, made from grains. This exhibit is pronounced to be one of the best in the Agricultural building.

The mining exhibit occupies 75,000 square feet and the lead and zinc is very attractive and calls forth a great deal of favorable comment.

The educational exhibit is very unique. The main feature is a large

map of Missouri which is operated by electricity automatically and shows the progress of schools of the state of Missouri for the past twenty years.

The horticulture exhibit occupies a very prominent place. The brass rail around it is that used around the horticulture exhibit at St. Louis. It is the most expensive rail in the entire exposition, the posts costing \$27 apiece.

ARE MOVING OLD CHURCH.

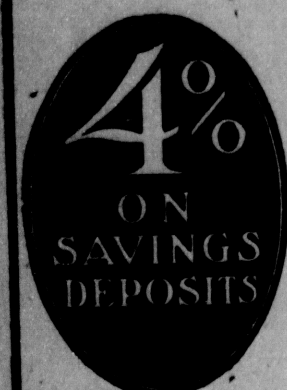
Abandoned Episcopalian Meeting House Will Be Used as Paint Shop.

The old abandoned frame meeting house, on East Fourth street, recently sold by the Episcopal church, is being moved today by E. H. Balmum to the rear of the barns of the Union Bus company, to be used as a paint and repair shop. The building was jacked up yesterday all ready for its slide down the hill to its new site today.

Have Your Feet Treated.

Dr. Tandy, painless chiropodist, will be at Mrs. Shipps' until Saturday, April 17. Dr. Tandy treats all foot ailments, corn callouses, bunions, nail troubles, sweaty feet, weak arches, etc. Will make residence call for ladies. Both phones.—Adv.

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DOGS, SHEEP'S WORST ENEMY

Flocks Could Be More Than Doubled,
If Menace Is Removed, Reported.

The number of sheep in the thirty-six farm states, which do not include any in the western division, could be increased by 150 per cent, it is estimated, without displacing other live stock. Some authorities believe that the increase could be even as much as 500 per cent without serious interference with the number of other animals. An increase of 150 per cent in these thirty-six states would mean in money \$144,267,000. In a new publication of the department of Agriculture, the responsibility for the loss to the country is laid upon the sheep-killing dog.

Sheep-killing dogs, it is said, are the principal cause of the marked decrease in the numbers of sheep on American farms. In the ten years, between 1900 and 1910, the number of sheep in the country, exclusive of the states in the western division, decreased by 3,000,000 head, in face of the fact that during these same years the market value of sheep rose so rapidly that the total value of sheep in this area was \$19,000,000 or approximately 25 per cent more in 1910 than in 1900. Favorable though the market conditions were, they were not a sufficient incentive to induce farmers to risk the heavy losses from stray dogs.

Judging from the figures in those countries and states in which reasonably complete reports are obtainable, it may be said that in the thirty-six farm states more than 100,000 sheep are killed each year by dogs. This is less than 1 per cent of the total number of sheep in this area, but a 1 per cent loss on a business that is being conducted on a profit basis of 5 or 6 per cent cannot be ignored.

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Poultry Column

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HANDS OF RUSSIACzar's Army Smashes New Way
In Pains of Hungary.

GREAT BATTLE RAGES IN WEST

Paris Reports General Advance on
Whole Front From Meuse to the
Moselle—Italy Denies Report Aus-
tria Asks Pope to Intervene.

WAR SUMMARY

Repulses of the Germans at various points in France, the taking of Les Eparges, an important strategic point on the road toward their objective, Metz, and the capture of lines of trenches are announced in the latest French official report of the warfare in the west.

Petrograd asserts that in the Carpathians the Russians are in possession of the entire principal chain of mountains, excepting one hill.

Germans declare that in the region between the Meuse and the Moselle, where les Eparges is situated and where sanguinary fighting has been in progress for several days, the French charges were absolutely without success and their losses heavier than those of the Germans.

Heavy losses in men are being incurred on both the French and Carpathian fronts.

In addition to Les Eparges the French claim the capture of some 600 feet of ground in the forest of Ailly and to have retaken trenches from the Germans north of Beauséjour.

The losses of men during the first six months of the war are estimated by the military expert of a Rome newspaper at 5,900,000. The cost of the war in that period is placed at \$8,400,000,000.

Austrian aviators dropped seven bombs at Podgoritz, Montenegro.

London, April 10.—The Russians' successes in the Carpathians, where the Muscovites are now said to control virtually all the important passes and are preparing for a descent on the southern slopes on to the plains of Hungary, have revived unofficial talk of separate peace for Austro-Hungary, and seemingly increasing anxiety on the part of the interventionists in Italy for their country to take up arms on the side of the allies and secure territory which they have failed to get in the negotiations through Germany with Austria.

The Russian newspapers seem convinced that Hungary, if not the whole of the dual monarchy, is ready to seek peace.

However, the Russians have some way to go as yet before they reach the plains of Hungary and the Austro-German forces are placing every obstacle in their way. The whole southern slopes of the mountains have been strongly fortified and troops are being poured into the region in dispute.

Official denial of the report that Austria has asked the good offices of the holy see to obtain peace proposals is printed in the *Observatore Romano*, the organ of the Vatican.

Railroad rolling stock is being withdrawn by Italy from the Swiss frontier for the transportation of troops and military stores in northern Italy, destined for the region bordering on the Austrian Tyrol.

A Milan dispatch says that at a mass meeting, attended by five Liberal deputies from Milan, a resolution was adopted characterizing as "absolutely necessary" the participation of Italy in the war.

Germany's acceptance of the treaty of 1828 as still binding would make it apparently incumbent on it, officials thought, to pay any losses sustained by American shippers of contraband articles in American vessels, although the right to lawfully detain such cargoes and compensate the owners at a later date was reserved. There was a question also in the mind of officials here whether the treaty would not give American owners the right to recover damages from the loss of their goods aboard the vessels of Germany's enemies.

One of the interesting phases of the Frye note, however, it was pointed out by officials, as likely to have an important bearing on the subject of submarine attacks on belligerent craft, was the statement regarding the obligations of commanders to remove passengers to a place of safety. It may be cited by the United States when it begins its discussion with the Berlin foreign office on the death of Leon C. Thresher in the submarine attack on the British steamer *Paluba*.

Quilmet Sets New Record For Course. Atlantic City, N. J., April 10.—Francis Quilmet, national amateur golf champion, created a new record for the course at the Seaview Golf club by making the eighteen holes in seventy-three strokes.

WILLIAM H. THOMPSON.

Republican Who Was
Overwhelmingly Chosen
Next Mayor of Chicago.HUNDREDS DIE IN
AMERICAN MISSIONRefugees Penned In at Urumiah
Dying Rapidly.

New York, April 10.—A fearful rate of mortality among the 10,000 refugees crowded into the yards of the American mission at Urumiah, where, it is said, 5,000 persons could scarcely find accommodation, is reported in a communication received through the state department at Washington by the Presbyterian board of foreign missions.

At times on an average of forty refugees died every day.

The communication, which is a copy of one sent to F. W. Smith, American consul at Tiflis, Persia, by Rev. Robert M. LaBarre of Urumiah, described in detail the flight of Christians not only from Urumiah, but all Azerbaijan provinces after the withdrawal of the Russian troops. The communication says:

"Of the thousands who were forced to remain behind, their villages being so situated that flight was impossible, only the future can give us a correct roll of those murdered in cold blood and with cruel tortures by the Kurds; of the women and girls carried off and of the children lost and the families separated in the time of this terrible catastrophe. All who could, fled to the city and found the one shelter that gave them the best hope of safety. That was our American mission property, guarded by the American flag."

Ambulance Worker and Nurse Wed. Paris, April 10.—The fact that the labor of caring for French wounded had not prevented the development of a romance in the ambulance service became known when Carroll Greenough of New York, attached to the ambulance at Neuilly, was married in the ambulance chapel to Miss Margaret Virginia Greble, daughter of Edwin Greble of Pasadena, Cal., who has charge of the special diet kitchen connected with the ambulance.

McAdoo Is Able to Sit Up. Washington, April 10.—Secretary McAdoo of the treasury, who was operated on for appendicitis three weeks ago, sat up for the first time. His physicians said it would be ten days or more before he would be permitted to go out of the house.

GERMAN AVIATORS
KILLED IN BATTLE

Furnes, Belgium, April 10.—A dramatic duel in the air, in which a German aircraft was brought down by Roland Garros, a famous French aviator, inside the allied lines, was described by Major Raoul Pontus, son of the former Belgian minister of war, who witnessed the combat. The German at first succeeded in rising above Garros' machine, but the latter by a clever twist escaped and then flew atop the German.

"From this moment the German's position became critical," said Major Pontus, "for Garros overtook him rapidly. Presently the crackling of a quick firing gun showed the Frenchman judged himself sufficiently near to take the offensive. Suddenly a long jet of white smoke gushed from the German machine and then a little flame, which in an instant enveloped the whole aeroplane. Notwithstanding the extreme peril, the pilot took to flight, but his effort to escape was converted into a horrifying downward plunge. The aeroplane, a mass of flames, struck the ground a score of yards from me and a column of black smoke mingled with sheets of fire poured from the fallen machine. I ran to the aeroplane and soon put out the fire. The aviators, horribly burned, were dead when I reached them. The gasoline tank contained two bullet holes."

HARRIMAN FRIEND
OF LABOR UNIONSLabor Head Says Magnate Felt
For Women and Children.

INSIDE OF SITUATION GIVEN

Witness Tells Federal Industrial Rela-
tions Commission of Methods of
"Spotters" in Disrupting Unions.
Business Agent Grace Testifies.

Chicago, April 10.—E. H. Harriman, it appeared in testimony given before the United States commission on industrial relations, was a friend of labor.

S. H. Grace of Omaha, business agent of the International Association of Machinists on the Union Pacific, testified that when trouble arose on that line in 1902 Mr. Harriman telegraphed that it was his first labor trouble and that if he could avoid it it would be his last.

J. W. Kline, general president of the International Association of Blacksmiths and Helpers, testified that "Mr. Harriman felt for the women and children who would suffer by a strike and he made concessions which resulted in the settlement of the troubles of 1902. I feel that had he lived the disastrous strike of 1911 on the Harriman lines would not have taken place."

Things Taken Up.

The evidence dealt with physical examination of applicants for mechanical positions, with violent acts of the strike, the methods of strike breakers and so called detectives and other phases of the railroad labor situation.

John G. Taylor of Oakland, Cal., business agent of the Southern Pacific railroad machinists, testified that "spotters" engaged in disrupting unions generally worked in trios. He designated them as follows:

"The promoter of quarrels who gains membership in the budding union and by his wiles sets Jew quarrelling with gentile, Italian with Austrian, and so on, thus weakening the strength of the membership. The good fellow who makes friends with everybody and spends his money so freely that those who try to keep up their end of the entertainment presently find themselves financially embarrassed and thus open to suggestions of treachery to the union. Third, the 'discourager'—This man is a professional pessimist who is stored with objections to unionism and predicts nothing but trouble for organizations which try to compel powerful corporations to grant the men their rights."

Hugh Montgomery of Macomb City, Miss., told of the riots there when the Illinois Central brought in strike breakers to take the places of union shopmen.

CHARGE FRAMED BY SLEUTH

Girl Tells Judge Case Against Los Angeles Chief Was "Frame Up."

Los Angeles, April 10.—Victor's Despatch, one of the two delinquent girls who made the original charges which caused the county grand jury to investigate the moral conduct of Charles F. Sebastian, chief of police, went to Judge Taft of the superior court and told him that the whole affair was a "frame up."

Judge Taft said the girl named a detective employed by the district attorney as having persuaded her to make charges before the grand jury that Sebastian had taken her to resorts in a police automobile.

U. S. to Open Homesteads. Chicago, April 10.—The opening of a large number of homesteads in the Shoshone irrigation project, near Yellowstone national park in Wyoming, is announced for the latter part of April by the federal reclamation service. The opening marks the fifth unit of forty and eighty acre tracts to be offered the public in the reservation.

Closing Quotations On the Chicago Board of Trade.

Chicago, April 10.—Closing prices: Wheat—May, \$1.55; July, \$1.23½. Corn—May, 72½c; July, 76½c. Oats—May, 57½c; July, 54½c. Pork—May, \$17.27½; July, \$17.87½. Lard—May, \$10.50; July, \$10.50. Ribs—May, \$10.10; July, \$10.42½.

Chicago Cash Prices—No. 2 hard wheat, \$1.54½@1.55½; No. 4 yellow corn, 71½@72½c; No. 2 white oats, 56½@57½c; standard, 58c.

Chicago Live Stock. Chicago, April 10.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,000; slow; native beef steers, \$6@8.90; westerns, \$5.50@7.50; cows and heifers, \$3@8; calves, \$6.25@8.75. Hogs—Receipts, 16,000; 10c higher; bulk of sales, \$6.95@7.10; light, \$6.80@7.10; heavy, \$6.60@7.10; rough, \$6.60@6.75; pigs, \$5.50@6.55. Sheep—Receipts, 6,000; slow; sheep, \$7.40@8.40; lambs, \$7.80@10.50.

South Omaha Live Stock. South Omaha, April 10.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,400; 25¢-40¢ higher than a week ago; beef steers, \$6.25@8.35; cows and heifers, \$3.75@7.25; stockers and feeders, \$6@7.85; bulls, \$4.65@6.25; calves, \$6.50@10. Hogs—Receipts, 6,100; 10c higher; bulk of sales, \$6.70@6.80; top, \$6.85. Sheep—Receipts, 3,000; strong; lambs, \$8.75@10.40; wethers, \$7.60@8.10; ewes, \$7.25@8.35; yearlings, \$8.50@9.

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SIX MILLION DIE IN WAR.

European Crisis Costs Eight Billion First Six Months, Estimated.

The nations now at war have lost 5,950,000 men in the first eight months of the conflict and spent \$5,400,000,000 in the first six months, according to figures prepared for the *Avanti*, a Socialist organ, by its military expert.

The article declares the only result of the war will be a reciprocal wearing out of the forces engaged and not a military victory. It is estimated that nine or ten months more will exhaust the reserves of men, and that the country which will suffer least from this exhaustion will be Russia.

Returns to Maryville. Mrs. L. J. Perry, who has been spending a number of months with her daughter, Mrs. N. M. Sowder, of St. Louis, and with relatives in Chillicothe, has returned to Maryville to make her home.

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LEECH IS NORMAL INDOOR CHAMPION

MADE 33 POINTS IN ATHLETIC CONTEST—McCLINTOCK 26 1-6.

PICK OF TRACK MEET MEN HARD FOUGHT

Large Crowd Witnesses Indoor Preliminary at State School Last Night—Many Tie for Honors.

Howard Leech of basket ball fame, showed his versatility by winning the indoor track championship of the state Normal School last night when he amassed a total of 33 points, or 6 5-6 points more than his nearest competitor.

The meet was the most hotly contested event in the history of indoor meets at the Normal School and it was not definitely known until this morning just who was the successful candidate.

The prize, a fine twelve-inch loving cup, presented by DeHart & Holmes, jewelers, will be given to Leech Monday morning at the assembly period at the Normal School. DeHart & Holmes this morning announced that they would repeat the offer again next year while several other merchants have signified intentions of also offering prizes next year.

A large crowd witnessed the meet last night many of them staying from the beginning of the meet until nearly twelve o'clock when the last event was finished.

The fifty and seventy-five yard dashes and the seventy-five yard low hurdles took place in the lower corridor of the Normal building after which the crowd went to the gymnasium where the remainder of the events were staged. The points were very evenly divided through out the meet and it was not until the last four events were run off that any one had an appreciable advantage over any of five or six other contestants who were always in at the finish of the races and events.

At the close of the meet last night it was thought that McClintock had carried off the honors but a recount of the points this morning gave Leech a slight lead over McClintock.

Leech is one of the best all around athletes attending the Normal. From his record last season at basket ball it will be seen that his basket ball work is not far behind his track performances and he is now trying for a berth on the Normal base ball team.

The officials of the meet were: Honorary referees, W. A. Blagg, president of the board of regents, and Ira Richardson, president of the Normal school Referee, Louis DeHart; clerk of the course, Fred Lewis; judges at the finish, S. H. Kemp and Walter Hanson; timers, R. A. Kinnaird and Harvey McClary; judges of field events, Bruce Montgomery, H. P. Swinehart and S. H. Kemp; starter, H. P. Swinehart; announcer, Paul Powell; scorer, Walter Hanson.

The total number of points which each man won last night are: Leech, 33; McClintock, 26 1-6; Scarlett, 21; Cummins, 15 1-3; Vandersloot, 14 2-3; Quinn, 12 5-6; Ford, 10 11-13; Brittain, 1; Noblett, 1; Gooden and Payne.

The list of the events and the winners is as follows:

50 yard dash, 6 seconds, Ford, Leech and Cummins tied.

75 yard dash, 3 3-5 seconds, Cummins and Leech tied. Quinn and McClintock tied for second.

75 yard low hurdles, 11 1-5 seconds, Scarlett and Leech tied. Quinn, Vandersloot and Cummins tied for second.

Running high jump, 4 feet, 11 inches, Vandersloot, first; Scarlett, second; Leech, third.

One mile run, 5 minutes 55 seconds, Vandersloot, McClintock, tied for first; Earl Brittain, third.

Standing broad jump, 9 feet, McClintock, first; Leech, second; Quinn, third.

Twelve pound shot put, 41 feet, 7 3/4 inches, Quinn, first; Scarlett, second; Leech, third.

Standing high jump, 4 feet, 2 inches, Leech and Scarlett tied for first; Ford third.

Pole vault, Scarlett, first; Ford, second; Noblett, third.

220 yard dash, 36 4-5 seconds, Leech first; Vandersloot, McClintock and Ford tied for second.

One-half mile run, 2 minutes, 40 2-5 seconds, McClintock, first; Vandersloot, second; Ford, third.

Rope climb, (using hands only), 18 feet up, 5 3-5 seconds, Cummins, first; Quinn, second; Ford, third.

Running broad jump, 16 feet, and 10 inches, McClintock, first; Leech, second; Vandersloot, third.

440 yard dash, 1 minute, 17 seconds, McClintock, first; Cummins, second; Scarlett, third.

Five standing long jumps, 42 feet, 8 1/2 inches, Leech, first; Quinn, second, Scarlett, third.

MILITARY BAND IS ASSURED

Necessary Quota is Enlisted for Fourth Regiment Affiliation, Director Reports.

The Fourth Regiment band, for the Missouri National Guards, will be located here. This was assured yesterday when the necessary quota of twenty-eight men signed up for membership and affiliation with the militia. Some have not yet taken the medical examination, but it is believed all will pass.

While not all were formerly members of the Maryville Commercial band most of them were. For that reason the name of the band will hereafter be known as the Fourth Regiment band. T. B. Maulding, director of the old band, will be chief musician of the new one, while Ezra Phipps has been appointed drum major.

The military band will continue to use the armory in the Tribune building and meet regularly each Tuesday night.

Equipment for the regimental band is expected to arrive within two weeks.

MANY SPECIALS IN CONCERT.

A Vocal and 2 Instrumental Extras in Band Program for Tomorrow.

The weekly concert at the Empire theater tomorrow afternoon will be featured by one vocal and two instrumental specials, while the entire band has scheduled some unusually good selections. The program for tomorrow is: March, "Light Guards," Gibson. Overture, "Poet and Peasant," Suppe. One-step, "Chinatown, My Chinatown," Schwartz.

Cornet duet, "Jennie Polka," Mackie-Beyer—T. B. Maulding and Ed Schumacher.

"The Black Man," Sousa. Vocal duet, "Love's Old Sweet Song," Molloy—Misses Amy Clark and Besse Scott.

Humoresque (Opus 101, No. 7), Dvorak.

Clarinet solo, "While the Rivers of Love Flow On," Ball—Harold Maulding.

One-step trot, "At the Ball," Hill.

REMOVE DIRT FROM STREETS.

City Hauls Off Many Loads—Best Condition for Months.

The removal of the dirt and mud from the paved residence streets of the city is being done today by the street department, in charge of Engineer F. J. Flynt and the new street committee, consisting of M. A. Peery, Bert Raines and Edward M. Drago.

The earth deposits on the pavement is first scraped to the middle of the street with a drag, then removed to vacant lots or dumping grounds in wagons. Several hundred loads have already been removed, Engineer Flynt reports.

The streets of the north part of the city are being cleaned first. They now are in better condition than they have been in since early last winter.

NOW BUILDING NODAWAY BRIDGE

Pillars Being Constructed for Clearmont-Elmo Span—Material on Ground.

Active work on the new steel bridge to span the Nodaway river between Clearmont and Elmo, has been begun, according to E. T. Bailey of Elmo, a member of the county court. Mr. Bailey says plenty of sand and gravel is on the ground for a continuous work, while the excavations for pillars at the east approach have been sunk to twelve feet, and for several feet at the west side.

The flooring for the structure also is on hand, it is said, and the steel is beginning to arrive. Barring spring floods on the Nodaway, little if any delay is expected by the constructors.

BOND FOR INDICTED

SIX CONCEPTION MEN RELEASED ON \$250 SECURITY.

10 DENY GAMING CHARGE

Burlington Junction man Freed Temporarily on Surety—Many Civil Suits Continued.

John Williams, arrested last winter on a charge of giving liquor to a minor, was sentenced by Judge W. C. Ellison, in circuit court this afternoon to six months in the county jail this afternoon, when Williams pleaded guilty. Williams, who is 22 years old, came to Maryville last summer from Texas. He was charged specifically with having bought some whiskey for Levi Kelly, then out on parole.

Eight residents of and near Burlington Junction, who were arrested recently on charges of gaming, were arraigned in circuit court this afternoon. Each pleaded not guilty and their trial set for the September term of court. They each gave bond of \$250 for their appearance then. Those arraigned today were L. D. Hankins, two counts; Gene Hadden, French Brown, Oliver South, W. S. Ellsworth, Wilbur C. Risser and Clyde O. Fox.

Dismiss \$15,000 Alienation Suit. The appeal suit of the city of Maryville against Page Fite, for assault, was continued.

The \$15,000 damage suit of Jud B. Wren against Oscar E. Sallee of Elmo, who, he alleges, alienated the affections of his wife, was dismissed this afternoon.

The account suit of the Ford Manufacturing company against Sewell & Carter was continued. Prosecutor W. G. Sawyers this afternoon dismissed charges of common assault against Scott Cogdill and of peace disturbance against Harry Coulter.

Circuit court was adjourned at 2 o'clock this afternoon until Monday morning.

The six young men of Conception Junction arrested yesterday, charged with disturbing the peace of an assembly, on grand jury indictments, has each given bond of \$250 for his appearance in circuit court here in the September term. All bonds were signed by Conception Junction residents. The men arrested were Jesse Curtin, Alonzo Curtin, Thomas Eagan, Emmett Grownay and Phil Grownay. Webb Dailey and John Klepping of Conception Junction, who also were arrested yesterday on grand jury indictments, were arraigned in circuit court late yesterday afternoon. Each pleaded not guilty to the charge of gaming. They were released on furnishing \$200 bond each.

Others Still at Large. No more arrests on grand jury indictments were reported by Sheriff Edwin Wallace this morning, and probably none will be made until this afternoon or Monday, it is said. Ten indictments are still out.

The damage suit of John Stundon and Richard B. Brown against the Chicago Great Western railroad, which was begun yesterday afternoon, still occupied the time of the court this morning. The jury trying the case is composed of Howard Bancroft, W. H. Jones, J. E. Hagey, Gus King, F. B. Dinsmore, J. H. Adkins, Manford Cowen, R. F. Westfall, James Donnelley, Clarence Wells, Joseph Lampert and Arthur Wiley.

The case will be concluded Monday. Continue Many Cases.

It is a suit over a shipment of stock from Guilford to St. Joseph, in which it is claimed the shipment was negligently handled. Other court actions yesterday afternoon follows:

F. M. Haynes against the Wabash railroad, damages, settled.

Village of Conception Junction against P. R. Grownay and others, damages, continued.

Albert Sholey against Elmer A. Johnson and others, mechanics' lien, settled.

K. Richardson against T. W. Costello, account, continued.

William J. Linebaugh against William T. Humphrey, contract, continued.

J. W. Herndon against J. H. Gatton, contract, settled.

Seth Ditto against city of Maryville, contract for \$608 wages, continued at cost of plaintiff.

G. Miller against C. H. Hummon, note, judgment of \$512.10 for plaintiff on default.

Frank L. Hart against James Anderson and William E. Hawk, note, continued.

Fred Wright against Joseph Kempf and others, appeal from justice court, continued.

J. C. Kauffman against Thomas Cain, note, continued.

Charles Evans against the Chicago Great Western, damages, settled.

WABASH TO ADD NEW TRAINS?

Additional Service Stanberry to Omaha Each Way After May 1, Rumored.

The addition of one passenger train each way daily between Stanberry and Omaha on the Wabash is promised in an announcement made by the Omaha Commerce club, which, it is understood, is agreed to by the railroad officials. The new, westbound train would leave Stanberry earlier in the morning than No. 1, and would probably arrive here about 5 o'clock, thereby allowing more time for shopping in Omaha.

Returning, the new train will leave Omaha between 3 and 4 o'clock in the afternoon, it is said, and arrive here about 8 o'clock at night. Additional service between Stanberry and St. Louis also is promised by the Wabash officials, effective soon, probably May 1, also.

With the installation of the new trains it is said Nos 1 and 14 will be made "highball" or fast trains, with the elimination of all stops but at junction points and larger stations.

PLAN PRESS MEET

ASSOCIATION HEAD PREPARES PROGRAM FOR APRIL 23, 24.

INVITE SENATOR STONE

Many Noted Editors of Northwest Missouri Speak at Banquet to Newspaper Fraternity This Month.

Robert J. Ball of Gallatin, editor of the Gallatin Democrat and president of the Northwest Missouri Press association, which will meet in Maryville, April 23 and 24, was in the city last night conferring with the local committee, composed of President Ira Richardson of the State Normal school, J. P. Hull and James Todd, relative to the program for the association meeting. The indications are that many newspaper men from all over the Normal district will be in attendance at the meeting.

An effort will be made to secure Senator W. J. Stone as one of the speakers for the press banquet, which will be given Friday night, April 23. Congressman Charles F. Booser also will likely be here. Some of the other newspaper men from over the district that will probably be here and speak during the meeting are Charles D. Morris of the St. Joseph Gazette, Chris Rutt of the St. Joseph News-Press, Lieutenant Governor W. R. Fauster of the Carrollton Democrat, Jewell Mayes, secretary of the state board of agriculture; James E. Watkins of the Chillicothe Constitution, Asa Butler of the Albany Capital, Col. W. T. Jenkins of the Platte City Landmark, Ewing Herbert of the Stock Yards Journal of St. Joseph, and A. N. Lindsay, field agent of the State Normal school.

The program for the meeting is as follows: Assembly and register at 1:30 o'clock Friday afternoon, followed by reception. At 3:30 o'clock the editors will be taken to the ball game to be played between the Normal school and the Missouri Wesleyan college team of Cameron.

At 6:30 o'clock a banquet will be held at the Elks club. President Richardson of the Normal school will preside as toastmaster. President Ball of the association will respond to the address of welcome on behalf of the association.

On the second day the editors will take an automobile ride over the city and will go to the Normal building, where the party will visit the school and inspect the building. At 12 o'clock luncheon will be served by the domestic science class of the Normal. At 1:30 o'clock the editors will go in a body to the track meet to witness the athletic events of the Northwest Inter-High School association.

Get Permit to Wed.

John E. Brady, 23 years old, of Clyde, was granted a license to marry Margaret Cochran, 20 years old, of Conception, in the office of the recorder of deeds today. They are to be married next Wednesday at Conception.

J. L. Hepburn of Independence township was in Maryville today on business.

18 SCHOOLS ENTER

HALF NEVER COMPETED FOR HONORS HERE LAST YEAR.

90 WOULD TAKE TRACK

Hamilton Promises Team of 16—Six Schools for Essays, 12 for Track Others Coming.

Entries from high schools of the Northwest Normal district for the inter-high school declamatory, oratorical and essay contest at the State Normal school, April 23, and for the track meet there April 24, are coming in thick and fast today, as it is the last one on which entries will be received. H. P. Swinehart, corresponding secretary of the Northwest Missouri Inter-High School association, said this afternoon that entries from eighteen schools had then been recorded.

Half of this number were not entered last year, which indicates much new material will be seen on the courts and in the contests this month. Of the entries recorded, six are in essay, twelve for track meet events, eight in the boys' declamatory contest and nine in the girls' declamatory contest. Of course this will not be all, for most of the entries will likely come in late this afternoon or tonight, it is said.

90 for Track Meet Already.

There are ninety individual high school boys in the athletic contests alone, the largest team being from the Hamilton school, which sends sixteen. Mound City is next with fourteen.

The new schools entered this year are Cornish, Hamilton, Braymer, Skidmore, Tina, Hopkins, Jamesport, Easton and Gilman City. The others are Bethany, Chillicothe, Grant City, Mound City, Platte City, New Hampton, Rosendale, Savannah and Tarkio.

PLUNGER SINKS FRENCH SHIP

Germans Let Crew Off New York Bound Steamer, But They Nearly Perish.

By American Press. L'etreport, France, April 10.—The French three-masted ship Chateau Briand, bound from London for New York with a cargo of chalk, was sunk by a German submarine off the Isle of Wight at 11 o'clock Thursday morning. The crew was saved. Captain Grondin and twenty-four men aboard the vessel were given ten minutes by the German commander to launch their two boats, after which the Chateau Briand was torpedoed. After drifting about all day and all night in bitter cold weather and without food, the crew sighted the French coast, landing safely.

DENY AUSTRIAN PEACE PLAN

Vatican Organ Says Holy See Was Not Asked to Bring About Cessation.

By American Press. Rome, via London, April 10.—Official denial of the report that Austria has asked the good offices of the holy see to obtain peace proposal is printed in the Osservatore Romano, the organ of the vatican.

IS VICTIM OF TYPHOID.

Miss Eddy, Normal Student, Dies Yesterday at Mound City.

Miss Mabel Eddy, a student at the State Normal, died at 11 o'clock yesterday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Eddy, of Mound city, her death following a two weeks illness of typhoid fever.

Miss Eddy had been in Maryville since last September attending the Normal. While here she made her home with Mrs. C. T. O'Donnell, 615 North Fillmore street. She left for her home April 1, to spend the Easter vacation. Previous to going home Miss Eddy had been feeling ill for about a week. She was a cousin of Mrs. Omer Wallace of this city.

The annual Worth County Corn and Poultry Show, this year, will be held at Grant City, December 15, 16 and 17. W. D. McKee, state judge, will award the corn prizes, while a state expert of the poultry experiment station at Mountain Grove, will judge the poultry exhibits. Free offerings of eggs are being made now to youths, to create interest in poultry breeding.

"Saving the Loss"

Sermon Subject at the First M.E. Church Sunday Evening Special Music. A Cordial Welcome

MAY IMPROVE OLD CEMETERY

County court Considers Request of D. A. R.—Commissions to Justices of the Peace.

At the request of the local chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution, the county court yesterday afternoon began consideration of a proposition to improve the old county burying ground at First and Water streets. The court made a visit to the cemetery, determined the necessary changes to put it in fair condition, and this morning made a preliminary investigation relative to the cost of its improvement.

No definite action probably will be taken at this term of court, it is said. It was proposed that the trees on the site be cut down and the roots removed, the sunken places will be filled, and that a cement foundation be provided for the marble slabs at the head of the various graves.

All this improvement, the court believes, would be too expensive, but the grading of the cemetery to a level state and removal of the trees is contemplated.

LOCAL RISK COMPANY MEETS.

Directors and Secretary to Farmers' Insurance Organization Chosen Today.

The annual meeting of the Nodaway County Farmers Mutual Fire and Lightning Insurance company is being held at the court house today. The stockholders met this morning to choose three directors and a secretary, while the directors meet this afternoon to organize for the ensuing year.

The officers of the company now are: President, James Hepburn; vice president, C. D. Hooker; secretary, A. Shiel; treasurer, William Woods. The other directors are E. W. Bishop, William Blackford, R. B. Gex, U. I. Willson and N. A. Northover.

The president, secretary and treasurer were re-elected by the stockholders this morning, while W. M. Blackford, James Hepburn and R. B. Gex were chosen to the board of directors for a term of three years. The board consists of nine members, three of whom go out each year.

RICKETTS RITES HELD TODAY.

Funeral Services at Farm, Northwest of the City—Burial in Oak Hill.

The funeral services for Thomas Ricketts, who died Thursday night at the Ricketts farm, northwest of the city, were held at 11 o'clock this morning at the home, conducted by the Rev. John H. Hubbard, pastor of the Buchanan Street Methodist church. The burial was made in Oak Hill cemetery.

The pall bearers were S. E. Fisher, J. E. Tebow, J. C. F. Taylor, J. B. Nunneley, Albert Neidel and M. C. Baubitts.

TO SHOW "THE SPOILERS" HERE.

Empire Will Give Photoplay of Rex Beach's Novel, April 15.

Rex Beach's Alaskan romance "The Spoilers" which has been filmed into a photo-play consisting of three acts and nine reels, will be shown at the Empire April 15. It is the work of William N. Selig, one of the men who pioneered the motion picture industry.

"The Spoilers" tells not only a gripping, interesting, pure love story but is filled with action and incidents from start to finish.

SUES FOR GUILFORD DEATH.

Great Western, Defendant in \$10,000 Suit for Roy Post's Demise.

The Chicago, Great Western Railroad Company is made a defendant in a suit for \$10,000 damages filed by Mrs. Mary A. Williams in St. Joseph. Mrs. Williams is administratrix of the estate of Roy Post, formerly a Great Western brakeman.

She alleges that Post was instantly killed when struck by a railroad crane at Guilford October 16, 1914.

Mrs. Berney Harris will return Monday from a visit of several weeks in St. Louis with her mother, Mrs. B. Scharff.

PICK LOCAL HIGH SCHOOL RACERS

MARYVILLE'S REPRESENTATIVES TO ANNUAL MEET CHOSEN.

PLAN MANY ENTRIES FOR TRACK, ORATIONS

Athletes Try-Out for Honors on "Bad" Track—Boy and Girl Declamations Are Lauded.

The preliminary athletic contest was held yesterday afternoon and a declamatory contest last night by the Maryville high school to choose contestants to represent the local high school in the northwest Missouri inter-high school contest at the Normal, April 23 and 24. The track meet held yesterday was participated in by about ten boys. Verne Pickens, one of the best athletes in the high school, did not compete on account of injuries received last year.

Some of the events were held at the high school grounds and in the gymnasium while the others were staged at the fair grounds on East First street. Good records were not possible on account of the condition of the track.

Error in Judging Declamations.

In the declamatory contest in the auditorium of the Washington school building last night some extremely able orations were delivered and the judging was close. A large crowd attended.

The result of the declamatory contest was as follows:

Boys—Don Roberts, first; Forrest Gillam, second; Fred Gray, third; Irwin Harris, fourth; Martin Lewis, Jr., fifth.

Girls—Miss Georgia Evans, first; Virginia Lawson, second; Brownie Helpley, third; Laura Curfman, fourth; Vera Hughes, fifth.

The judges were Prof. C. A. Hawkins, Prof. F. P. Wagg and Prof. A. J. Cauffield, Normal tutors.

By a change in the order in which the boys spoke last night, one of the judges graded erroneously, causing Forrest Gillam to be given first honors and Don Roberts second, and Brownie Helpley, second instead of Miss Lawson. A readjustment of the names on the judge's score card to conform to the order in which they spoke was made this morning.

Orations Were Good.

Many of those in the audience last night were surprised at the judges' decision relative to first and second honors, which showed very well that the judges and the public really judged about the same, except that one had the names misplaced.

Each of the declamations were exceptionally good, the judges declared, as shown by the close grading. They were graded on general excellence on a basis of 100 per cent. This was divided into pronunciation, articulation, expression, interpretation and gestures.

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THE WEATHER

Generally fair tonight and Sunday.

Will Receive Bids

The Standard Poland-China Record association, Maryville, Missouri, will receive sealed bids for the construction of a one-story brick building, to be built according to plans and specifications submitted by Architect James Schack.

We reserve full right to reject any and all bids. Sealed bids must be in the hands of the secretary on or before April 20, 1915. Address or call on Ray Davis, secretary, Maryville, Missouri, for plans.

John Bunny, IN "THE LOCKED HOUSE"

BRONCHO BILLY in "A Friend In Need," Master and Man, Drama; Hicksville, Comedy; Rose and Thorns, all star Vitaphone, Two Act Feature TONIGHT

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COMING FERN THEATRE

MARY PICKFORD in "Mistress Nell" Tuesday, Matinee 4 p. m.

"Buckshot John" is the big western comedy for Thursday. Lew Fields in "Old Dutch," April 26. Jesse Willard, champion fighter, in "The Heart Punch," May 10.

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THREE WEEKS FROM TODAY

The Christian Endeavor Society will serve their Annual May Morning Breakfast At The FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

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They are all at it—Columbia, Moberly, Kansas City and all the little towns are making vigorous clean-up campaign. Let's set the pace in Maryville. Let everybody join in and make it unanimous.

A neighboring editor, noticing that Dr. Wiley values good teeth at \$1,000 each, hastens to announce that he has two perfectly good ones that he would like to trade in on a motor car.

Chicago elected a Republican mayor by a large majority, because Carter Harrison's followers would not support the Democratic nominee. They claimed he was nominated by machine methods, and swatted the machine.

Kansas can now have a new picture in its hall of fame. To a history ornamented by such celebrities as John Brown, John P. St. John, Susan B. Anthony, Mary Ellen Lease, Carrie Nation, Senator Pepper, Jerry Simpson, Ed Howe, William Allen White, Walt Mason, Pastor Sheldon, Senator Bristow, and Vic Murdock, may now be added a chapter on "Our Jess" Willard, champion of the world.

There is a most excellent opening in Maryville for some enterprising capitalist to build an up-to-date hotel. Maryville is a good hotel town and the facilities we now have are unable to properly care for all the demands on their capacity. This fact alone causes many traveling men, who would prefer to spend more time in Maryville to go elsewhere. The man or men who will build a modern hotel building will find a ready renter and will render a service to the city and the public besides.

BUTTERMILK GOOD STOCK FOOD.

Is Excellent as a Supplement to Balance Corn, Experts Report.

The farmers who have an abundance of buttermilk for their swine do not need to feed tankage or other purchased supplements to balance the corn ration, according to the animal husbandry department of Iowa state college. It says:

"Of all the supplements to corn, the milk supplements, skimmed milk and buttermilk are most efficient. There is only one that is better than these and that is whole milk; but of course you cannot afford to feed butter fat to pigs when it will bring 40 cents on the market."

Concerning the relative value of buttermilk and tankage, the experts at Ames figure that when tankage can be bought for \$2.50 a hundred, buttermilk is worth approximately 25 cents a hundred pounds.

Nayle's Liver Salts cures stomach ills. Koch Pharmacy.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh That Contain Mercury

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescription from a reputable physician, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials true.

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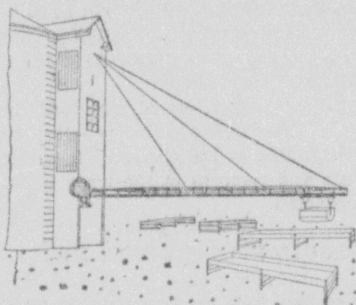
Description of Devices in Use for
That Purpose.

Overhead Feed Carrier Is Advisable
Where Silo Is Adjacent to Feed
Yard—Much Depends on Num-
ber of Stock to Be Fed.

(By L. W. CHASE.)

From two to three inches of silage should be removed from the entire surface of the silo daily during the summer months and at least half of this amount in the winter. In the above-ground silos the silage may be dug loose with a silage fork and allowed to fall down through the chute to the ground, where it may be loaded into the cart or carriers and fed where desired; or it may be dropped directly into a cart, carrier, or wagon, and taken to the stock.

If the silo is adjacent to the barn and there is a smooth way from silo to feed manger, a simple silage cart is the most convenient device for



Illustrating How a Swing Track May Be Attached to a Strong Silo and the Silage Distributed to Several Feed Bunks.

taking the silage to the stock. The cart can be left beneath the silo chute and filled from above without reshoveling the silage. Loose silage weighs about 18.5 pounds per cubic foot, and this should be given consideration when building a cart for a definite capacity.

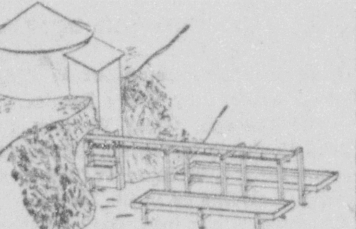
More often than otherwise the silo stands either in or adjacent to the feed yard, in which case there is very seldom a smooth way from silo to bunks. An overhead feed carrier is then generally advisable. This depends upon the number of stock to be fed. Such a carrier may easily be arranged. If the yards are small a swing track may be attached to the silo and the silage distributed to several feed bunks.

When several carloads of stock are being fed silage, the most convenient scheme is to throw the feed into a wagon and distribute it to the feed bunks with a team.

Some sort of hoisting device should be used in pit and semipit silos. Where the pit is more than ten feet deep, hand hoists and power hoists are being used for this purpose. The simplest hoist is that of the bucket raised hand over hand, but this requires one person in the pit and another above ground. A better scheme and one which is practical where the silo is located in the barn between the mangers, is to obtain several baskets and equip them with stiff balls, then use them as follows: Fill the baskets and place them in the silo convenient for raising, climb out of the silo, and by means of a hook on a rope, hook a basket of silage to it and hoist it out. After the basket is emptied, drop it back into the silo, release the hook, and hook another basket.

A homemade hoisting device for semipit silos and which can be adapted to pit silos as well, consists of a three-inch pipe carrying a wooden wheel and two drums. An old milk can filled with scrap iron is used as a counterweight. It should be slightly lighter than the weight of the cart and the silage.

A horse-power hoisting device is easily used for silos entirely below ground. These silos have an opening



An Adaptation of a Feeding Arrangement Which Can Be Used as Well for Above-Ground Silo as for Bank Silos.

in the roof through which silage is hoisted. The carrier is a box about four feet long by two feet wide, having a hinged bottom. The box is hoisted and pulled over to the dump chute by means of one horse. A trip rope allows the operator to dump the silage through the chute and return the carrier. An ordinary hayfork cable and carrier are used. This same arrangement may be used for feeding into several bunks.

Called by Sister's Illness.

Mrs. W. A. Rickenbrode left Saturday morning for Paola, Kan., called there by the serious illness of her sister, Mrs. J. O. Rankin.

FOR RENT—11-acre tract, close in, well improved. Inquire Gilliam-Jackson Trust Co. or Mrs. Demott, 116 North Walnut. 10-13

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

IS CRUSHED BENEATH TRAIN

Body of Harold Stoner, Killed at Sedalia, Is Taken to Hopkins.

The body of Harold Stoner, a grandson of Mrs. Estelle Douglas of Hopkins, who died April 7, at Sedalia, Mo., from injuries received when he fell under a moving freight train and both legs were crushed, was taken to Hopkins at noon today and buried in the Hopkins cemetery.

The young man was 18 years old. He is the son of J. O. Stoner, a machinist in the employ of the Wabash at Moberly, Mo. He has been visiting in southern Missouri several weeks and was returning home when the accident occurred. He attempted to board the moving train when he fell under the wheels. Both legs were crushed. He was taken to the hospital where he died shortly afterwards.

The young man's mother, who died about five years ago, was a daughter of Mrs. Douglas. He is survived by his father and two brothers.

TO CONDUCT COUNTY QUIZZES

Places and Supervisors of Annual Eighth Grade Examinations, April 16, 17, Chosen.

The places and conductors of the annual examination of eighth grade pupils of public schools of Nodaway county, to be held next Friday and Saturday, April 16 and 17, were announced today by County School Superintendent Bert Cooper. The list of questions to be answered by those taking the examinations also are now being prepared. The places and conductors of the examination are:

Hughes—Graham school; conductors, J. N. Geyer, R. L. Noblett, Nellie Talbott, Morgan school house; conductors, Hazel Noblett, Rose Shinabargar, May G. Evans.

Monroe—Skidmore high school; conductors, T. W. Cooper, Clara Clymens, Ruby Key.

Lincoln—Elmo high school; conductors, W. A. Wright, Naomi Horn, Ruth E. Wilson.

Nodaway—Burlington Junction high school; conductors, D. V. Culp, Bessie Brown, Stella Hurst.

Atchison—Clearmont high school; conductors, Geo. W. Somerville, Ethel Bush, Effie A. Henderson.

Hopkins—Hopkins high school; conductors, J. L. Niemann, Eugene Bird, Beulah Russell.

Union—Pickering high school; conductors, Myra Hope, Rachel Watson, W. H. Burr.

Polk—Maryville Business college; conductors, Ruby Ruddell, Mary Watson, Mary Halasey. Pupils in Polk township may attend examination in other townships if they choose.

White Cloud—Davis school house; conductors, Margaret Hopper, Zella Barton, Carrie Coler.

Grant—Barnard high school; conductors, D. D. Hooper, L. L. Mendenhall, Bertia Campbell.

Washington—Gulford school house; conductors, S. E. Richards, Roxie Wilson, Blanch Rime.

Jefferson—Conception Junction; conductors, Sr. M. Maura, D. M. Feagans, Margaret McCann.

Jackson—Ravenwood high school; conductors, L. W. Watson, Myriel Gates, Louise McCann.

Independence—Gaynor school house; conductors, Bessie Nicholson, Elva Heflin, Hazel Hook.

Green—Quiltman high school; conductors, Edith Collins, Elsie Smith, Mrs. Ella Hale.

All teachers of each township are appointed as assistants to help the conductors in giving the examinations and in arranging the commencement program. If conductors are not present the teachers may select them.

Gets Wealthy Bride.

The following is taken from the Kansas City Star, and will be of interest to the friends of the groom, who is a former Maryville man:

Miss Mary Taylor Keith, daughter of Mrs. Richard H. Keith, and one of the heirs of the two million dollar fortune of the former president of the Central Coal and Coke company, who died in 1905, was married yesterday in New Orleans to Jesse Franklin Anderson, a young Kansas City attorney, who is connected with the city counselor's office. The bride is 26 years old and her husband is 29. They left immediately after the ceremony in the Jesuits Church for Pass Christian, where the honeymoon will be spent. The wedding ceremony was simple. Only a few friends were present, and the bride wore a simple traveling suit. Since the division of the Keith estate, Mrs. Anderson has a fortune of \$200,000 in her own right.

When Croup Comes Treat Externally

The old method of dosing delicate little stomachs with nauseous drugs is wrong and harmful. Try the external treatment—Vick's Vapo-Rub Salve. Just rub a little over the throat and chest. The vapors, released by the body heat, loosen the choking phlegm and ease the difficult breathing. A bedtime application insures sound sleep. 25c, 50c, or \$1.00.

VICK'S VAPORUB SALVE

STUDENT PLAY WELL ATTENDED.

Good Sum Cleared at Entertainment Given by Pickering Literary Society.

A good crowd attended the annual play given last night by the literary society of the Pickering high school. A sum of about \$17 was cleared.

The play staged was "Mr. Bob," and the character parts were taken by Misses Gladys Null, Vera McDowell, Mary Crowson and Flossie Neal, and Alva Lett, Forrest Hixon and Orlo Lincoln.

During the act interlude, musical numbers were given by Mrs. Roy Wolfers, Mrs. Howard Null, Miss Hazel Burks, Miss Christel Everhart, Miss Josie Wilson and Miss Hazel Burks.

ROSS FUNERAL HELD AT HOPKINS

Mrs. Ross, 65, Succumbs to Illness of Several Months.

The funeral services for Mrs. Henry Ross of Hopkins, who died Tuesday, were held Thursday afternoon at the family home, conducted by the Rev. D. W. Griffith, pastor of the Baptist church. The body was buried in the Hopkins cemetery.

Mrs. Ross was 65 years old. She was born in Illinois and came to Nodaway county when a young woman. She is survived by her husband and three children. The children are Silas Ross of Howard, Col.; William Ross of Red Lodge, Mont., and Grace Ross, living at home.

Mrs. Ross suffered a paralytic stroke several months ago and failed to regain her health from that time.

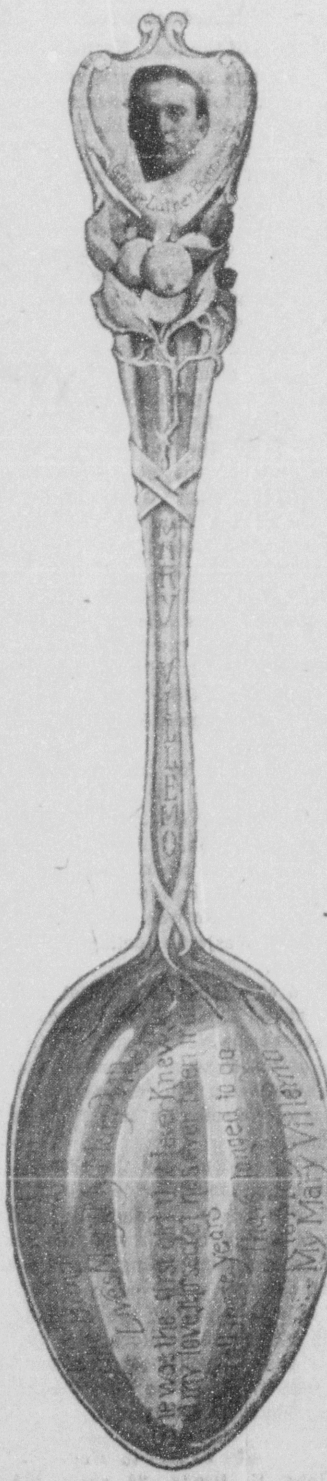
"Gray" Veteran Is Pensioned.

Elijah Kilgore of Conception Junction was questioned by the county court yesterday relative to his qualifications for obtaining state pension as a confederate war veteran. Roy Fitzsimmons, James Donnelly and R. L. Barber of Conception Junction each testified before the court as to Kilgore's identity, while Calvin Reavis testified that he is the same man as is mentioned in the war records.

Nayle's Liver Salts. Koch Pharmacy.

Returns to Kansas City.

Mrs. Gus Conant and her daughter, Miss Edna Walters, of Kansas City, who were called to Maryville by the death of Mrs. Conant's mother, Mrs. L. F. VanBriggle, left yesterday for their home. They were accompanied by Mr. Van Briggle, who will spend the summer with Mrs. Conant.



CREATES SOUVENIR SPOONS.

George Luther Burr, of considerable fame as an exponent of the virtues of Nodaway county, and particularly of Maryville, styled "Mary Villeno," in one of his songs, has now come forth with a souvenir spoon for Maryville, his pet and pride. Mr. Burr just recently returned from Fort Worth, Texas, where he has been the last year.

Sunday Services at Local Churches

First Methodist.

Gilbert S. Cox, pastor.
Sunday school at the usual hour. At 10:45 o'clock Mrs. W. M. Dudley of Indianola, Ia., a national officer of the Women's Foreign Missionary society, will speak. At the evening service at 8 o'clock the pastor will preach. The sermon subject will be "Saving the Loss."

Buchanan Street Methodist.

John H. Hubbard, pastor.
Our usual services tomorrow. We want every one at Sunday school on time.
Preaching services at 10:45 o'clock. Subject, "Home Missions." The usual evening service at 8 o'clock.
Epworth League service at 7 o'clock. All are cordially invited to attend all these services.

First Baptist.

Lewis M. Hale, pastor.
Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. The Sunday school needs you. Be on time. Morning worship at 11 a. m. Special music. Sermon by Prof. Harry A. Miller.
B. Y. P. U. at 7 p. m.
Evening worship at 8 p. m., preceded by thirty minutes prayer service in the Organized Bible class room.
Evangelistic praise service, under the direction of men of the church. Come and bring your friends with you.

First Presbyterian.

Samuel D. Harkness, pastor.
The sermons for the day will be given by the Rev. E. E. Stringfellow, Ph. D., at both morning and evening hours. Musical program under the direction of Prof. H. B. Schuler, organist. Morning: Prelude, "Hymn Paraphrase," Ashmali; anthem, "The Path of the Just," Heaton; offertory, "Andante Grazioso," Lee; postlude, "Processional March," Hosmer. Evening program: Prelude, "Canzonetta," Spencer; anthem, "Seek Ye the Lord," Roberts; offertory, "Improvisation," Chopin; postlude, "Rondo," Westerhout.
Sunday school at 9:45 o'clock a. m. Young People's club meeting at 7 o'clock. At this meeting a new series of topics under the general caption "Modern Apostles" will be begun. Miss Jessie Parcher will have the first topic tomorrow night, which will be "Billy Sunday, Evangelist."

PICK LOCAL HIGH SCHOOL RACERS

(Continued from page 1-)

Each of the three judges graded Miss Evans as first winner, while two graded Don Roberts as first winner and one as second winner. Forrest Gilliam, who received second honor in the boys' contest, got a first honor grade from one referee, a two from another and a four from another, which, when summed up, made a second honor grade.

What They Spoke On.

Several musical numbers by the high school orchestra and the double quartet from the glee club were given during the declamations. The ten contestants spoke on the following topics: Georgia Evans, "Queen Quiver," by Tennyson; Virginia Lawson, "Herve Riel," by Browning; Brownie Helpley, "Enoch Arden," by Tennyson; Laura Curfman, "Dora," by Tennyson; Vera Hughes, "An Artist in Whitewash," by Clemens; Don Roberts, "Give Me Liberty or Give Me Death," by Patrick Henry; Forrest Gilliam, "The Character of Napoleon," by Phillips; Fred Gray, "The New South," by Grady; Irwin Harris, "The March of the Flag," by Beveridge; Martin Lewis, Jr., "The Character of Napoleon," by Phillips.

Athletic Results.

The athletic preliminaries of the high school yesterday afternoon to pick contestants for the inter-high school track meet at the Normal, April 24, resulted as follows, the first, second and third winners being in the order named.

High jump—Ellison Frank, Curtis Benight, Harold Sawyers.

Running broad jump—Eugene Yehle, James Halasey, Claude Glass.

High standing jump—Eugene Yehle, James Halasey, Claude Glass.

Standing broad jump—Eugene Yehle, Ellison Frank, Leland Leffler.

100-yard dash—George Lee Fleming, Ellison Frank, Eugene Yehle. Best time, 11 seconds.

Half-mile—William Hutchinson and James Halasey tied, Myron Baker.

220-yard run—George Fleming, Ellison Frank, Eugene Yehle. Best time, 24 1-5 seconds.

Discus—Claude Glass, Berney Harris, George Fleming.

Shot—Russell Woodward, Joseph Farmer, Myron Baker.

Hurdle—Ellison Frank, George Fleming, Kenneth Van Cleve. Best time, 43 1-5 seconds.

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To like the Munsing Underwear so,
And when another Dictionary's writ
You'll find that Munsing's will be it.

**MUNSING
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Perfect Fitting Union Suits for Men

Berney Harris Sells Munsing Union Suits
The glove fitting easy wearing kind.

Seven million Munsing Union suits are sold annually throughout the United States.

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Priced from \$1 to \$3.50

BERNEY HARRIS

BARNARD HORSES ARE LAUDED

Dysart Brothers' Thoroughbreds Are Praised in Kentucky Journal—To Show at the Fair.

The thoroughbred horses of Dysart Brothers, Barnard, come in for considerable praise by Mark Fields of Granger, Mo., in a recent issue of the Farmers' Home Journal of Louisville, Ky. The picture of Royal Dysart, one of Dysart's best, also is shown. The article in part follows:

In the northwestern corner of Missouri, in the environs of the village of Barnard, and in the richest part of one of the richest counties of the State (Nodaway) lies a saddle horse farm of which any part of the world might well be proud. We refer to the great establishment of the Dysart Bros., which is now some twenty-five years old, and which is known to fame the world over as a garden of delights, and a paradise for horses.

The Dysarts are among the best educated, and most successful saddle horse breeders on the continent. Pepper like they spent years in selecting a harem of brood mares that were never excelled.

At the head of this harem they placed the immaculate stallion, Royal Chester 926, by Chester Dare 10, and the imperial sire, Rex Bless 1416, by Rex McDonald 833. The whole of this breeding stud, mares and stallions belonged to the Denmark family, and are of the very essence of the blood.

The Dysarts are very intelligent thinkers, and being convinced that in order to secure the fruits of the old adage, "like begets like," continued line breeding must be pursued, they have adhered with rigid closeness to that system.

Results have shown that they were masters of the breeding art, as applied to saddle horses, and for years they have been exhibiting horses, mares, colts and fillies of their own production at the principal fairs of the northwest with the most enviable success.

Right on and on their career has been progressive and encouraging in the highest degree, and this year they have risen to that height of self-reliance, to that unwavering faith in the fruit of their work which prompts the highest leap in competition.

They have not hesitated to enter the shining sunbeam Royal Dysart 4446, in the \$6,000 stake to be awarded to the winner at the Great Panama-Pacific Exposition at San Francisco. This most brilliant young horse is by Rex Bless 1416, out of Fancy C 2498, by Royal Chester 926. He wears a chest-

nut livery, marked with a snip and four white feet.

He measures about 15½ hands, weighs about 1,100 pounds, has all the gait of the pentachord to perfection, is a model of faultless symmetry, and surpasses Pegasus in beauty, and in grace of action. The man that beats him at the California metropolis will go home, feeling that he has achieved a victory worthy of putting on record to be remembered to the latest day of his life.

And the beauty of it is, that Royal Dysart 4446, is purely a product of the Dysart farm. And if he could talk he might say: "I'm a Missourian, you'll have to show me;" and at San Francisco he will be shown sure enough, and shown against a whole galaxy of Kentuckians, Californians, and other Missourians. But he will be exhibited in the most perfect confidence that he will win the big purse.

The Dysart Bros., are, this year, rather short of fillies, but they have a whole troop of young stallions of the calibre of Royal Dysart 4446, the difference between them and their splendid relative being a matter of age only.

CUTS MISSOURI TAX RATE.

Reduction in State Interest Now One Cent on \$100.

State Auditor John P. Gordon has certified to the county clerks the state tax rate. The rate is reduced from 19 cents to 18 cents on the \$100 assessed valuation.

The Forty-eighth General Assembly on the recommendation of the auditor, fixed the state interest rate at 1 cent instead of 2 cents on the \$100.

State taxes this year are levied as follows: For state revenue 15 cents on the \$100 of assessed value; state interest 1 cent, capitol building bond tax.

J. M. Johnson Seriously Ill.

J. M. Johnson of East First street, is very ill at the home of his daughter, Mrs. J. Lewis Crum of Fayette, Mo., where he has been visiting several weeks. Mr. Johnson, accompanied by his daughter, Lois, left Maryville last spring for a visit with relatives at his old home in Kentucky, and had stopped at Fayette for a few days visit when Mr. Johnson became ill. His condition is serious.

Returns to Albany.

Mrs. H. DePriest of Albany, who has been spending the week visiting her daughter, Mrs. Marvin Peery, and family, returned to her home today.

To-Day

Is the 10th day of the month and
the last day of Discount on your
Electric Light Bills. Better hurry.

Maryville Electric Light & Power Co.

Empire Theatre Building
Hanamo 21

BRIGHT OUTLOOK FOR EVERYBODY

The N. K. Fairbank Company Shows Faith in Newspaper Advertising.

The Gold Dust Twins, those nimble sprites that have won their way into so many households and into the hearts of so many housewives, in addition to their usual occupation of making this a cleaner and brighter world, have started with fine spirit and commendable enthusiasm upon the work of spreading confidence in the stability of American institutions.

Not satisfied with brightening material things, the Twins propose to make the future bright, and they are going about it in a very direct and practical way.

Big Advertising Campaign.

This new enterprise on the part of the celebrated Twins takes the form of an extensive newspaper advertising campaign by the N. K. Fairbank company of Chicago. Gold Dust is manufactured by this company, which has just completed arrangements for extensive advertising in the newspapers in practically every city and town in this country.

The Gold Dust Twins are going to fill engagements, carrying on one of the greatest educational campaigns ever undertaken in newspaper advertising.

In a larger and broader sense, it may be regarded as this big manufacturing company's faith in American institutions. No better evidence of the value of newspaper advertising has ever been presented than is to be found in this extraordinary campaign in the interest of Gold Dust washing powder.

It was in newspapers that the first advertising of Gold Dust was done. For years the famous Twins have been brightening newspaper pages with their good humor and their interesting exploits. The results of that advertising are responsible for the record-breaking campaign which is beginning.

Encouraging Enterprise.

It is in no sense extravagant to say that the fine spirit of the company which launches this great enterprise should serve as encouragement to people who have been disposed to be pessimistic. It should bring to the timid and the doubtful a realization of the fact that this is a time for aggressive effort, rather than for inactivity or ultra conservatism.

Loan Association Appoints.

A meeting of the Maryville Home-Loan association was held last night to appoint the standing committees for the year. They were on finance, auditing, real estate and building. Three members were named for each committee.

CHICHESTER'S PILLS

THE MARSH BRAND.
Ladies! Ask your Druggist for
Chichester's Pills. They are
the most reliable and most
effective of all. They are
sold by druggists everywhere.



PERFECT FITTING GLASSES

Are assured you if you come to Crane's. Our expert Optician will test your eyes free and fit them with proper glasses.

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JEWELER AND OPTICIAN

For Right House
Painting—Dutch Boy
White Lead, mixed for the
job, and
a good
painter.



Curfman Lumber Co.

will give you trustworthy
advice about materials and
will help select color
schemes. Full stock of oils,
varnish, putty, stains,
brushes, driers, colors, red
lead and

Dutch Boy White Lead

Don't be like the man who had
poor teeth and put off going to the
dentist. He lost in satisfaction and
in pleasure, and at the end of a
two-year wait had to spend twice
as much for repairs. Paint now
while the painting is good. Call or
telephone.

JOFFRE AND KINDENBURG

Opposing Generals In
Western Theater, Where
Fighting Is Fiercest.



Photos by American Press Association.

GENERAL VILLA FLEES
WITH ALL HIS ARMY

Northern Chief Reported Retreating After Defeat by Obregon.

Douglas, Ariz., April 10.—"Have satisfaction to advise that Dorothea Arango, alias Francisco Villa, a shameful defeat inflicted upon him by our troops here, is fleeing toward Alamo with eighteen military trains, five of them loaded with wounded. More than 2,000 Villa dead were burned."

This was a telegram, dated Celaya, received by General Elias Calles, the Sonora Carranza leader, from General Alvaro Obregon.

BRADSTREET'S TRADE REVIEW

Sentiment Bolstered by Smart Uplift in Stock Prices.

New York, April 10.—Bradstreet's says:

The week's reports, trade and industrial, are the best noted for some time, being in some respects the most favorable received since the spring of 1914. Sentiment is bolstered by the smart uplift in stock market prices; better weather has superinduced improvement in general lines of retail trade; foreign orders for machinery, tools, automobiles and numerous other manufactures make for capacity work in the enterprises thus benefited; operations on domestic account are steadily improving; idle workmen are less numerous; money is easy; weekly bank clearings are more encouraging; collections are a shade better in some centers and winter wheat crop conditions are good—as good, all things considered, as a year ago at this date.

Agriculture as distinguished from the industrial still is depressed as regards current trade, but other sections of the country manifest signs of improvement, though it must be conceded that betterment in the east is slow. In the soft coal mining regions there is evidence of improvement, but the operations are slow, and in the lumber industry depression continues. Building has begun to improve.

The arrival of the growing weather has put a more favorable face upon crop reports. Winter wheat has been benefited west of the Mississippi by warmer weather, but needs moisture east of the river. The entire crop is late in starting.

Dr. S. D. Treble Arrested.
Spokane, Wash., April 10.—Dr. S. D. Treble was arrested here by postoffice inspectors and is being held in default of \$15,000 bonds to answer a charge of fraud for misuse of the mails, preferred at Philadelphia.

SAYS U. S. SURRENDERS
SEAS TO ENGLAND

Washington, April 10.—Germany has sent to the United States government a note complaining that the latter has accomplished nothing in its diplomatic correspondence with the allies to obtain for American exporters the right to ship foodstuffs to the civilian population of a belligerent country. The communication intimates also that the United States has virtually acquiesced in the British order in council, prohibiting commerce with Germany.

SOCIETY
AND
CLUBLAND

KATE SCHENCK
Phones—Office 42 Home 683

Social Monday Night.

The young women of St. Mary's Catholic church will give a social in the basement of the church Monday night. Games will furnish the diversion of the evening, and refreshments will be served.

Mrs. Roseberry Hostess.

Mrs. G. B. Roseberry, president of the Mission Circle of the First Christian church, entertained the Circle members with a tea yesterday afternoon at her home, on East Seventh street. One of the special features of the meeting was the opening of the mite boxes and the collecting of the annual Easter offering of the Circle, which preceded the social hour and tea.

Pink and White Luncheon.

Miss Beulah Brunner and Miss Mildred Miller were the hostesses of a daintily appointed luncheon given at noon today at the home of Mrs. Walter Hanson, complimentary to their guests, Miss Margaret James and Miss Mayme Howard of Warrensburg, Mo. The table flowers were pink and white sweet peas, and similar colors were used in place cards and ices and cakes. Covers were laid for fourteen.

Class Luncheon.

Mrs. Gay Leeper entertained the members of her class in the First Baptist Sunday school with a luncheon at Reuillard's at 4:30 o'clock this afternoon. The luncheon table was centered with a cluster of yellow daffodils, and the same flowers were used for place markers. The party was chaperoned by Miss Dorothy Pierce, and included Doris Cornett, Anna Stutesman, Lillie Mayer, Lucy Kinzel, Mabel Fraser, Bessie Wagner, Elizabeth Nash and Marie Cloud.

To Meet Warrensburg Guests.

An informal tea was given yesterday afternoon from 4 till 6 o'clock by Miss Mildred Miller and Miss Beulah Brunner, in their apartments at Perrin hall, when a number of their friends were invited to meet their house guests, Miss Margaret James and Miss Mayme Harwood of Warrensburg. About twenty-five were entertained. Miss James is head of the department of art and Miss Harwood of the department of music of the Warrensburg state normal. They will return to their homes tomorrow morning.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—100. Market slow. Estimate tomorrow, 15,900.
Hogs—8,900. Market 5c higher; top, \$7.25. Estimate tomorrow, 27,000.
Sheep—200.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—100. Market slow.
Hogs—1,000. Market 5c higher; top, \$7.00.
Sheep—None.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—None. Market slow.
Hogs—2,200. Market 5c higher; top, \$7.00.
Sheep—None.

Social at St. Mary's Church.

The young women of St. Mary's Catholic church will give a social in the basement of the church Monday night. Games and refreshments.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

GENERAL HUERTA.

Breaks Into Print Again
By Leaving Spain to Start
Another Mexican Revolt.



Photo by American Press Association.



PAIGE

"The Standard of Value and Quality"

Why the Paige is Supreme

THE Paige Fairfield "Six-46" has everywhere proven the most popular six-cylinder motor car—of any price—on the market this season.

Many elements enter into that! The beauty, power, comfort, unequalled quality, riding-luxury and supreme value are obvious reasons. There is another reason, that is the public knowledge that the Paige "Six-46" means real economy. If you have seen the new Paige Six "46", you can readily understand why the item of Depreciation on this car is bound to be a small one. This car is one year ahead of the field. It is not an old model "dolled" up with a fictitious 1915 label and a fictitious price. It is refreshingly new in lines, design and equipment. It belongs to no "school" for it is rapidly establishing a school of its own—the School of 1916.

The Paige Glenwood "Four-36" has this season easily retained its supremacy—for value and service—among the medium-priced four-cylinder cars.

Whether buying a "Six" or a "Four", the Paige Purchaser is satisfied that he is buying the Supreme Value. There are five Cardinal Reasons for Paige Supremacy. They are:

FIRST—Paige Design. It is the popular comment everywhere that the Paige "Six" is the most distinctive looking car as well as the most beautiful car produced this year. Its lines are an adaptation of the best European designs. It looks distinguished, aristocratic, "smart" and powerful. The Paige Glenwood has the same individuality. No matter where you see a Paige Car—bowling down the road or parked on the curb—you recognize Paige Character instantly.

SECOND—Paige Comfort. The Paige "Six" has a wheel base of 124 inches. It accommodates seven passengers luxuriously in its ample seats of soft leather upholstery. Its cantilever spring suspension gives it that marvel of easy riding over all kinds of roads. It is equipped with the Gray & Davis electric lighting and starting systems which means the fullest realization of luxurious motoring. It has the modish one-man top. The Glenwood "Four-36" seats its five passengers in comfort. It is also distinguished for its easy riding. It also has the Gray & Davis equipment. It is in every way the "Fours" what the Fairfield is to the "Sixes"—Supreme.

THIRD—Paige Power. We believe that the Paige-Continental motor (3½x5¼) of the Paige "Six" is for this car the most ideally powerful and most flexible motor in the world. The Rayfield carburetor adds the highest factor of ease of control and reliability. But Paige "Six" or Paige "Four", when you sit behind the wheel you sense the tremendous power

that flattens out hills and sweeps you buoyantly over any road conditions. Paige Cars are equipped, too, with the Bosch magneto—the world's standard ignition—the multiple disc cork-insert clutch.

FOURTH—Paige Economy. (Whether it be a Paige "Six" or Paige "Four," you KNOW that the soundness of Paige Design and the Excellence of Paige Materials and Paige Workmanship mean Economy to YOU. That is Economy in Operation—which is gasoline and oil—and Economy in Maintenance—which means small repair bills and continuous, year-round Paige Service. A Paige Car is always and everywhere an asset.

FIFTH—Paige Value. Our answer to that is a question—two questions: Do you know of any six-cylinder, seven-passenger car offering any such high-grade features as detailed above that you can buy for a price within \$200, yes, or \$300, of the price of the Paige "Six"?

That price is \$1395

Again, do you know of any four-cylinder, five-passenger car offering such high-grade features as detailed above that you can buy for a price within \$200, yes, or \$300, of the price of the Paige "Four"?

That price is \$1075

See these Paige Cars. Make your own comparisons. If you do that, we know what your selection must be. You will say—as the whole country is saying—"I think I'll buy a Paige."

Allen Brothers, Both Phones, Maryville, Mo.

Paige-Detroit Motor Car Company, Detroit

Model Fairfield Six—"46"

\$1395

(30)

EARLY HATCHING PAYS.

State Expert Advises Poultry Breeders to Try for Early "Frys."

"The poultry keeper who expects to get eggs next winter must have his chickens hatch early this spring," says H. L. Kempster of the Missouri Agricultural Experiment station. "It requires from five to seven months for a three to five pound hen to mature so that she will lay. The hen of the heavier breeds such as Rocks, Reds, Wyandottes, etc., weighing from five to eight pounds each require from one to three months longer.

"This is based upon the assumption that the chicks are kept growing well during the summer months. The Missouri farmer loses large profits from winter eggs because he does not give his young stock sufficient time to mature before winter sets in. This prevents his flock being productive during the winter months.

"Unless a pullet is laying in December it is practically impossible for her to lay much until February according to experiments at the Missouri Agricultural Experiment Station. This shows the necessity of Hatching Early. If the hatch is completed by May 15,

there remains but seven months in which to mature the pullets.

"If winter eggs are expected, the hatch should be completed before that time. Egg records show that early laying pullets—November and December—are the ones that make the high egg yields and also lay eggs at the time of the year when the price is the highest.

"Early hatching is important, not only from the standpoint of next year's winter egg yield but also because the early hatched chick comes from stronger eggs, and the chicks get a start before the extreme hot weather arrives. For these two reasons the poultry keeper should exert every energy to get off the hatch as soon as possible."

WOULD CHANGE TOWNSHIP ROAD.

Nineteen Ask County to Straighten a Green-Polk Highway.

A petition signed by nineteen persons owning property within three miles of the highway was presented to the county court today, asking that the public road extending along the Green-Polk township line for a distance of three miles, be straightened.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

MISSOURI EXHIBITS GOOD.

Agriculture, Mining, Horticulture and Manufacture Exploited at San Francisco.

All Missouri exhibitions at the Panama-Pacific Exposition are opened up and in operation with the exception of the live stock exhibit, which will not be installed until some time next fall.

The Missouri building is receiving many compliments and has a very homelike appearance. There are ten bedrooms, private dining room and kitchen, therefore real Missouri home life is enjoyed.

The agriculture occupies the center of the Agricultural Palace. At the entrance of the exhibit are large corn towers and just to the left of this is a large American eagle made from corn husks, oats and kaffir corn; just beneath the eagle is a picture of Governor Major, made from grains. This exhibit is pronounced to be one of the best in the Agricultural building.

The mining exhibit occupies 75,000 square feet and the lead and zinc is very attractive and calls forth a great deal of favorable comment.

The educational exhibit is very unique. The main feature is a large

map of Missouri which is operated by electricity automatically and shows the progress of schools of the state of Missouri for the past twenty years.

The horticulture exhibit occupies a very prominent place. The brass rail around it is that used around the horticulture exhibit at St. Louis. It is the most expensive rail in the entire exposition, the posts costing \$27 apiece.

ARE MOVING OLD CHURCH.

Abandoned Episcopal Meeting House Will Be Used as Paint Shop.

The old abandoned frame meeting house, on East Fourth street, recently sold by the Episcopal church, is being moved today by E. H. Balmum to the rear of the barns of the Union Bus company, to be used as a paint and repair shop. The building was jacked up yesterday all ready for its slide down the hill to its new site today.

Have Your Feet Treated.

Dr. Tandy, painless chiropodist, will be at Mrs. Shipp's until Saturday, April 17. Dr. Tandy treats all foot ailments, corn callouses, bunions, nail troubles, sweaty feet, weak arches, etc. Will make residence call for ladies. Both phones.—Adv.

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DOGS, SHEEP'S WORST ENEMY

Flocks Could Be More Than Doubled,
if Menace Is Removed, Reported.

The number of sheep in the thirty-six farm states, which do not include any in the western division, could be increased by 150 per cent, it is estimated, without displacing other live stock. Some authorities believe that the increase could be even as much as 500 per cent without serious interference with the number of other animals. An increase of 150 per cent in these thirty-six states would mean in money \$144,267,000. In a new publication of the department of Agriculture, the responsibility for the loss to the country is laid upon the sheep-killing dog.

Sheep-killing dogs, it is said, are the principal cause of the marked decrease in the numbers of sheep on American farms. In the ten years, between 1900 and 1910, the number of sheep in the country, exclusive of the states in the western division, decreased by 3,000,000 head, in face of the fact that during these same years the market value of sheep rose so rapidly that the total value of sheep in this area was \$19,400,000 or approximately 25 per cent more in 1910 than in 1900. Favorable though the market conditions were, they were not a sufficient incentive to induce farmers to risk the heavy losses from stray dogs.

Judging from the figures in those countries and states in which reasonably complete reports are obtainable, it may be said that in the thirty-six farm states more than 100,000 sheep are killed each year by dogs. This is less than 1 per cent of the total number of sheep in this area, but a 1 per cent loss on a business that is being conducted on a profit basis of 5 or 6 per cent cannot be ignored.

A remedy that is suggested for this

situation is a uniform state dog law embodying the principle of a tax upon dogs sufficiently heavy to discourage those who are not willing to take care of their pets from keeping them. Under this plan all dogs over six months of age must be licensed each year, the tax paid at the time of licensing and a metal tag bearing the license number attached to the dog's collar.

Any dog found without this tag, unattended and off its owner's premises may be killed. When found unattended on a farm where sheep are kept the dog may be killed whether it has the tag or not, and under any circumstances a dog caught chasing or killing sheep may be killed. All dogs which can be proved to be sheep killers must be killed whether caught in the act or not, and a reward of \$15 should be offered for any one identifying a sheep-killing dog.

The money received from dog taxes should be devoted to reimbursing sheep owners for their lost stock and the county should in turn recover this money whenever possible from the dogs' owners. A special license should be issued for kennels where large numbers of dogs are maintained under such conditions that they cannot possibly do any harm to neighboring flocks.

MAKE CHILD HEALTHY, FIRST.

English Physician Says Health Supervision Should Be Made Before School Age.

That special medical attention should be given to children in the four or five early years before school begins is asserted by Dr. David Forsyth, an English physician, whose views are published in a bulletin just issued by the United States bureau of education. Dr. Forsyth declares that medical inspection of elementary school children points to a widespread physical deterioration during the first four or five years of life, which leaves the majority of children with serious but preventable defects.

Dr. Forsyth says, "Large numbers of children, healthy in all respects at birth, become within five years the physically defective entrants whom the education authority is required, at no small cost, to restore, so far as possible, to their original state of health. Yet most of these cases are preventable, or, if taken in time, can be remedied more speedily and therefore more cheaply, than if left until school age, by which time not a few will have received permanent damage—physical or mental."

"The problem of the defective child largely resolves itself into the problem of the under-school age child, and seems hardly likely to be solved by anything short of a general plan insuring to all children regular medical supervision from birth to school age. And this, to be fully successful, must run side by side with educational measures for instructing the mothers themselves who, from ignorance, are unable to safeguard their children's health."

Odd Fellows Meet.

The annual meeting of the North-west Missouri Odd Fellows' Association was held at Lathrop yesterday.

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PASSES ARE IN HANDS OF RUSSIA

Czar's Army Squashes New Way

Into Pains of Hungary.

GREAT BATTLE RAGES IN WEST

Paris Reports General Advance on Whole Front From Meuse to the Moselle—Italy Denies Report Austria Asks Pope to Intervene.

WAR SUMMARY

Repulses of the Germans at various points in France, the taking of Les Eparges, an important strategic point on the road toward their objective, Metz, and the capture of lines of trenches are announced in the latest French official report of the warfare in the west.

Petrograd asserts that in the Carpathians the Russians are in possession of the entire principal chain of mountains, excepting one hill.

Germans declare that in the region between the Meuse and the Moselle, where les Eparges is situated and where sanguinary fighting has been in progress for several days, the French charges were absolutely without success and their losses heavier than those of the Germans. Heavy losses in men are being incurred on both the French and Carpathians fronts.

In addition to les Eparges the French claim the capture of some 600 feet of ground in the forest of Ailly and to have retaken trenches from the Germans north of Beauséjour.

The losses of men during the first six months of the war are estimated by the military expert of a Rome newspaper at 5,900,000. The cost of the war in that period is placed at \$8,400,000,000.

Austrian aviators dropped seven bombs at Podgoritz, Montenegro.

London, April 10.—The Russians' successes in the Carpathians, where the Muscovites are now said to control virtually all the important passes and are preparing for a descent on the southern slopes on to the plains of Hungary, have revived unofficial talk of separate peace for Austria-Hungary and seemingly increasing anxiety on the part of the interventionists in Italy for their country to take up arms on the side of the allies and secure territory which they have failed to get in the negotiations through Germany with Austria.

The Russian newspapers seem convinced that Hungary, if not the whole of the dual monarchy, is ready to seek peace.

However, the Russians have some way to go as yet before they reach the plains of Hungary and the Austro-German forces are placing every obstacle in their way. The whole southern slopes of the mountains have been strongly fortified and troops are being poured into the region in dispute.

Official denial of the report that Austria has asked the good offices of the holy see to obtain peace proposals is printed in the Osservatore Romano, the organ of the Vatican.

Railroad rolling stock is being withdrawn by Italy from the Swiss frontier for the transportation of troops and military stores in northern Italy, destined for the region bordering on the Austrian Tyrol.

A Milan dispatch says that at a mass meeting, attended by five Liberal deputies from Milan, a resolution was adopted characterizing as "absolutely necessary" the participation of Italy in the war.

GERMAN NO E FAR REACHING

Revives Old Treaty and May Raise Many Legal Issues.

Washington, April 10.—Close study by officials of Germany's note assuming full liabilities for the destruction of the American sailing ship William P. Frye reveals many points that may have a far-reaching effect on other legal questions arising between the United States and Germany during the present war.

Germany's acceptance of the treaty of 1828 as still binding would make it apparently incumbent on it, officials thought, to pay any losses sustained by American shippers of contraband articles in American vessels, although the right to lawfully detain such cargoes and compensate the owners at a later date was reserved. There was a question also in the mind of officials here whether the treaty would not give American owners the right to recover damages from the loss of their goods aboard the vessels of Germany's enemies.

One of the interesting phases of the Frye note, however, it was pointed out by officials, as likely to have an important bearing on the subject of submarine attacks on belligerent craft, was the statement regarding the obligations of commanders to remove passengers to a place of safety. It may be cited by the United States when it begins its discussion with the Berlin foreign office on the death of Leon C. Thresher in the submarine attack on the British steamer Falaba.

Quilmet Sets New Record For Course.
Atlantic City, N. J., April 10.—Francis Quilmet, national amateur golf champion, created a new record for the course at the Seaview Golf club by making the eighteen holes in seventy-three strokes.

WILLIAM H. THOMPSON.

Republican Who Was
Overwhelmingly Chosen
Next Mayor of Chicago.



HUNDREDS DIE IN AMERICAN MISSION

Refugees Penned In at Urumiah
Dying Rapidly.

New York, April 10.—A fearful rate of mortality among the 10,000 refugees crowded into the yards of the American mission at Urumiah, where, it is said, 5,000 persons could scarcely find accommodation, is reported in a communication received through the state department at Washington by the Presbyterian board of foreign missions.

At times on an average of forty refugees died every day.

The communication, which is a copy of one sent to F. W. Smith, American consul at Tiflis, Persia, by Rev. Robert M. LaBarre of Urumiah, described in detail the flight of Christians not only from Urumiah, but all Azerbaijan provinces after the withdrawal of the Russian troops. The communication says: "Of the thousands who were forced to remain behind their villages being so situated that flight was impossible, only the future can give us a correct roll of those murdered in cold blood and with cruel tortures by the Kurds; of the women and girls carried off and of the children lost and the families separated in the time of this terrible catastrophe. All who could, fled to the city and found the one shelter that gave them the best hope of safety. That was our American mission property, guarded by the American flag."

Ambulance Worker and Nurse Wed.

Paris, April 10.—The fact that the labor of caring for French wounded had not prevented the development of a romance in the ambulance service became known when Carroll Greenough of New York, attached to the ambulance at Nueley, was married in the ambulance chapel to Miss Margaret Virginia Greble, daughter of Edw'n Greble of Pasadena, Cal. who has charge of the special diet kitchen connected with the ambulance.

McAdoo Is Able to Sit Up.

Washington, April 10.—Secretary McAdoo of the treasury, who was operated on for appendicitis three weeks ago, sat up for the first time. His physicians said it would be ten days or more before he would be permitted to go out of the house.

GERMAN AVIATORS KILLED IN BATTLE

Furnes, Belgium, April 10.—A dramatic duel in the air, in which a German aircraft was brought down by Roland Garros, a famous French aviator, inside the allied lines, was described by Major Raoul Pontus, son of the former Belgian minister of war, who witnessed the combat. The German at first succeeded in rising above Garros' machine, but the latter by a clever twist escaped and then flew atop the German.

"From this moment the German's position became critical," said Major Pontus, "for Garros overtook him rapidly. Presently the crackling of a quick firing gun showed the Frenchman judged himself sufficiently near to take the offensive. Suddenly a long jet of white smoke gushed from the German machine and then a little flame, which in an instant enveloped the whole aeroplane. Notwithstanding the extreme peril, the pilot took to flight, but his effort to escape was converted into a horrifying downward plunge. The aeroplane, a mass of flames, struck the ground a score of yards from me and a column of black smoke mingled with sheets of fire poured from the fallen machine. I ran to the aeroplane and soon put out the fire. The aviators, horribly burned, were dead when I reached them. The gasoline tank contained two bullet holes."

HARRIMAN FRIEND OF LABOR UNIONS

Labor Head Says Magnate Felt

For Women and Children.

INSIDE OF SITUATION GIVEN.

Witness Tells Federal Industrial Relations Commission of Methods of "Spotters" in Disrupting Unions. Business Agent Grace Testifies.

Chicago, April 10.—E. H. Harriman, it appeared in testimony given before the United States commission on industrial relations, was a friend of labor. S. H. Grace of Omaha, business agent of the International Association of Machinists on the Union Pacific, testified that when trouble arose on that line in 1902 Mr. Harriman telegraphed that it was his first labor trouble and that if he could avoid it it would be his last.

J. W. Kline, general president of the International Association of Blacksmiths and Helpers, testified that "Mr. Harriman felt for the women and children who would suffer by a strike and he made concessions which resulted in the settlement of the troubles of 1902. I feel that had he lived the disastrous strike of 1911 on the Harriman lines would not have taken place."

Things Taken Up.

The evidence dealt with physical examination of applicants for mechanical positions, with violent acts of the strike, the methods of strike breakers and so called detectives and other phases of the railroad labor situation.

John G. Taylor of Oakland, Cal., business agent of the Southern Pacific railroad machinists, testified that "spotters" engaged in disrupting unions generally worked in trios. He designated them as follows:

"The promoter of quarrels who gains membership in the budding union and by his wiles sets Jew quarrelling with gentile, Italian with Austrian, and so on, thus weakening the strength of the membership. The good fellow who makes friends with everybody and spends his money so freely that those who try to keep up their end of the entertainment presently find themselves financially embarrassed and thus open to suggestions of treachery to the union. Third, the 'discourager.' This man is a professional pessimist who is stored with objections to unionism and predicts nothing but trouble for organizations which try to compel powerful corporations to grant the men their rights."

Hugh Montgomery of Macomb City, Miss., told of the riots there when the Illinois Central brought in strike breakers to take the places of union shopmen.

CHARGE FRAMED BY SLEUTH

Girl Tells Judge Case Against Los Angeles Chief Was "Frame Up."

Los Angeles, April 10.—Victoria Desparte, one of the two delinquent girls who made the original charges which caused the county grand jury to investigate the moral conduct of Charles F. Sebastian, chief of police, went to Judge Taft of the superior court and told him that the whole affair was a "frame up."

Judge Taft said the girl named a detective employed by the district attorney as having persuaded her to make charges before the grand jury that Sebastian had taken her to resorts in a police automobile.

U. S. to Open Homesteads.

Chicago, April 10.—The opening of a large number of homesteads in the Shoshone irrigation project, near Yellowstone national park in Wyoming, is announced for the latter part of April by the federal reclamation service. The opening marks the fifth unit of forty and eighty acre tracts to be offered the public in the reservation.

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Closing Quotations on the Chicago Board of Trade.

Chicago, April 10.—Closing prices: Wheat—May, \$1.55; July, \$1.23½. Corn—May, 73½c; July, 76½c. Oats—May, 57½c; July, 54½c. Pork—May, \$17.27½; July, \$17.87½. Lard—May, \$10.50; July, \$10.50. Ribs—May, \$10.10; July, \$10.42½. Chicago Cash Prices—No. 2 hard wheat, \$1.54½; No. 1.53½; No. 4 yellow corn, 71½c; No. 2 white oats, 56½c; standard, 55c.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, April 10.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,000; slow; native beef steers, \$6.00; westerns, \$5.60 to 7.50; cows and heifers, \$3.00; calves, \$6.25 to 8.75. Hogs—Receipts, 16,000; 10c higher; bulk of sales, \$6.95 to 7.10; light, \$6.80 to 7.10; heavy, \$6.60 to 7.10; rough, \$6.60 to 6.75; pigs, \$5.50 to 6.65. Sheep—Receipts, 6,000; slow; sheep, \$7.40 to 8.40; lambs, \$7.80 to 10.50.

South Omaha Live Stock.

South Omaha, April 10.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,400; 25¢ to 40¢ higher than a week ago; beef steers, \$6.25 to 8.35; cows and heifers, \$3.75 to 7.25; stockers and feeders, \$6.00 to 7.50; bulls, \$4.65 to 6.25; calves, \$6.50 to 10. Hogs—Receipts, 1,100; 10c higher; bulk of sales, \$6.70 to 6.80; top, \$6.85. Sheep—Receipts, 3,000; strong; lambs, \$8.75 to 10.40; wethers, \$7.60 to 8.10; ewes, \$7.25 to 8.25; yearlings, \$5.50 to 9.

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European Crisis Costs Eight Billion First 8 Months, Estimated.

The nations now at war have lost 5,950,000 men in the first eight months of the conflict and spent \$8,400,000,000 in the first six months, according to figures prepared for the Avanti, a Socialist organ, by its military expert.

The article declares the only result of the war will be a reciprocal wearing out of the forces engaged and not a military victory. It is estimated that nine or ten months more will exhaust the reserves of men, and that the country which will suffer least from this exhaustion will be Russia.

Returns to Maryville.

Mrs. L. J. Perry, who has been spending a number of months with her daughter, Mrs. N. M. Sowder, of St. Louis, and with relatives in Chillicothe, has returned to Maryville to make her home.

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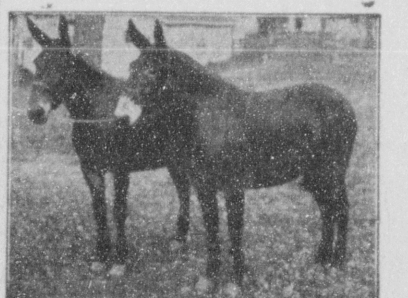
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